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To

Susan Simmons Craik

whose genealogical acumen and

command of English I admire

and to

Charles Ewell Craik

priest, pastor and friend

with

my affection

Preface

Orange County at the time of its creating embraced all of the land from the Rappahannock River, beginning at its fork, across to the Blue Ridge, down the Valley and west to include all of West Virginia and Kentucky. It was erected by Act of the General Assembly in 1734 from the upper portion of Spotsylvania County (which was created in 1720 from the northern portions of Essex, King and Queen and King William counties) and was originally coterminate with Saint Mark's Parish which had been formed three years earlier.

During the whole of the period covered by Will Book I, these bounds were not changed. There were still no settlers in the more westerly portions of this vast area, but many of the testators named herein were residents of what shortly became Augusta and Frederick counties. The Act creating these two counties was passed in 1738 but it contained a provision that no courts were to be held until there was a sufficient population. The Court of Frederick County was organized in 1743 and that of Augusta in 1745.

After 1745 Orange County included the present counties of Culpeper, Madison, Rappahannock and Greene. In 1749 the first three of these were cut off, leaving only the present territory of Orange and Greene. Orange reached its present size with the creation of Greene County in 1838.

Saint Thomas' Parish was formed from Saint Mark's in 1740. In general, its area was south of the Rapidan and the residents of the parish remained in Orange County after 1749.

Orange is fortunate in having the great majority of its records from the beginning of the county. Not only have the record books been preserved, but also there are many of the original loose papers still on file at the Court House. Mr. George H. S. King has kindly submitted a clarification of one will in this volume based upon his examination of the original which has been preserved.

W. W. Scott's A History of Orange County, Virginia (Richmond: 1907) is the only extensive volume relating to the county but much has appeared in print about its history and families.

The clerk of Orange County during the period from 1735 until July 1740 was Henry Willis. Beginning in September 1740 Jonathan Gibson signed the records as clerk.

Whenever a mark rather than a signature was affixed to a document, the mark has been placed in parenthesis. An "X" has been used to indicate not only that symbol but also a cross or any other symbol which cannot be reproduced on a typewriter.

The names have been indexed under the form considered most logical by the compiler or the one most frequently used in this volume. Cross references have been provided. The numbers of the pages upon which a person's will appears have been underlined.

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Orange County, Virginia
Will Book One
1735 - 1743

Page 1. Bond of Robert Green and Benjamin Cave unto Goodrich Lightfoot, justice. For £ 50. 20 May 1735. Robert Green is admr. of Joseph Steep.

Robert Green
Benja. Cave

Wit: James Porteus
20 May 1735. Ack. and OR.

Page 2. Bond of Jacob Prosie, Jacob Miller and John Vought unto Augustine Smith, justice. For £ 100. 17 June 1735. Jacob Prosie is admr. of Barbara Cooper, dec.

Jacob (X) Prosie
Jacob (H) Miller
Johan Paull Vought

Wit: James Porteus
17 June 1735. Ack. and OR.

Page 3. Will of John Lightfoot being sick and weak, undated.

To my beloved brother Goodrich Lightfoot Junr. two Negroes, one a woman named Bess, the other a man named Dalphin, and I give him all my wareing cloaths.

I give my beloved sister Mary Lightfoot one Negro woman named Jeney.

To my beloved brother William Lightfoot one Negro man named Tanyeard and I give him the tract of land and plantation whereon I now live together with all the stock of hoggs and cattle.

To my beloved sister Elizabeth Lightfoot two Negro children named Sarah and Peter.

To my hon[ore]d father Goodrich Lightfoot Senr. two tracts of land lying in Orange County, the one being the tract of land I purchased of Charles Stevens on Permunkey River and the other lying in the little or south fork of Rappadan River to sell or dispose of as he shall think proper, he paying for the two new Negroes I bought of Colo. William Beverly and Mr. James Garnett. I also give him my gun. I also give him four hundred acres of land more, it lying ajoyning to the land mentioned before in the fork of the Rappadan. I also give him two horses call[e]d Old Blaze and Wanton.

To Mrs. Martha Chew one young gray natural pacing horse colt.

I do appoint my hon[ore]d father Goodrich Lightfoot my hole and sole executor to deliver the said legacies above mentioned when my brothers and sisters comes to age or maries and also give my father all and aney part of my estate that I have not mentioned.

Wit:
Thos. Chew
John Howard
Isaac Smith

John Lightfoot

17 June 1735. Presented into Court by Goodrich Lightfoot. Proved by Thos. Chew, John Howard and Isaac Smith.

Page 4. Barbara Cooper. Inve ntory. 12 July 1735. Total valuation £ 12.15.0. [Appraisers:]

Christopher Zimmerman
Frederick (X) Cobler
Charles (M) Morgan

15 July 1735. Returned by Jacob Prosie, administrator.

Page 5. Will of John Jennings of the parish of Hannover in the County of King George, being sick in body, dated 20 Feb. 1728.

Unto my daughter Sarah one iron pot and three pewter dishes.
Unto my daughter Ann one iron pot and three pewter dishes.
Unto my daughter Margaret one iron pot and two pewter dishes.
Unto my daughter Mary one iron pot and two pewter dishes.
Unto my daughter Elizabeth one young cow and calf.
Unto my son John one cow and calf and a young mare.
Unto my loving wife Mary Jennings all the rest of my personal [sic].
Unto my loving wife Mary Jennings my two children Elizabeth and John Jennings untill they are of the age of eighteen years, then to be free.
My loving wife Mary Jennings full and sole executrix.
I desire that my estate may not be brought to & appraisment.

John (X) Jennings

Wit:
William Pullen
Elisha (H) Harly
Elisabeth (H) Harly

15 June 1735. Presented in Court by Mary Jennings. Proved by William Pullen one of the witnesses.

Page 6. Bond of Mary Jennings, John Hawkins and Isaac Smith unto Augustine Smith, justice. For £ 200. 15 July 1735. Mary Jennings is executrix of John Jennings.

Mary (M) Jennings
John (X) Hawkins
Isaac Smith

Wit: James Porteus.
15 July 1735. Ack. and OR.

Page 7. Bond of Robert Cave, Benjamin Cave and William Phillips unto Augustine Smith, justice. For £ 200. 15 July 1735. Robert Cave is admr. of Elizabeth Cave, dec.

Robert Cave
Benja. Cave
Wm. Phillips

15 July 1735. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 8-9. John Jennings. Appraisement. 16 July 1735. Mary Jennings, executrix. No total valuation shown.

Benja. Porter
Thos. Simms
John Marks

19 Aug. 1735. Returned by Benjamin Porter.

Page 9. John Lightfoot. Inventory. 16 Sept. 1735. Includes six Negroes and one white servant boy called Wm. Barron. Signed by G. Lightfoot.

16 Sept. 1735. Inventory of estate of John Lightfoot, Gent., returned by Goodrich Lightfoot, Gent.

Page 10. Will of Samuel Hansley of King George County and Hanover Parish being sick and weak, dated 28 Feb. 1731/2.

Whereas my sons by my former wife are grown to years capable of getting their own living and considering my estate to be barely sufficient for the raising of my young children, it is my desire therefore that my sons William, Joseph and Edward Hanslee be contented each to have one shilling sterling to be paid immediately after my decease if demanded together with my blessing and prayers to God for their futcher welfare

To my beloved wife Elizabeth my land and plantation in Spotsylvania to her during her life and after her decease to my two sons James and George Hansley.

To my son George Henslee all my ready made waring cloaths.

To my son Samuel Hensley one heifer or stear of three years old.

All the rest of my estate both real and personal I give to my beloved wife aforesaid to be wholly at her disposal for the good and support of her self and children and it is my desire that Elizabeth my wife may be sole executrix.

Wit: Samuel (X) Hanslee
Joseph Berry
Thomas (X) Suttle

17 Feb. 1735 [1736]. Presented in Court by Elizabeth Hanslee his widow. Proved by Joseph Berry and Thomas Suttle.

Page 11. Bond of Elizabeth Hensley, William Bohannan and Abraham Bledsoe unto Goodrich Lightfoot, justice. For £ 100. 17 Feb. 1735 [1736]. Elizabeth Hensley is extx. of Samuel Hensley.

Eliz. (X) Hensley
William Bohannan
Abraham (A B) Bledsoe

Wit: James Porteus.
17 Feb. 1735 [1736]. Ack. and OR.

Page 12. Bond of Mary Rush and Robert Green, Gent., unto Goodrich Lightfoot, justice. For £ 500. 17 Feb. 1735 [1736]. Mary Rush is admx. of William Rush, dec.

Mary (X) Rush
Robert Green

17 Feb. 1735 [1736]. Ack. and OR.

Page 13. Bond of James McCullough, Thomas Byrn and George Woolan unto Goodrich Lightfoot. For £ 100. 17 Feb. 1735 [1736]. James McCullough is admr. of Thomas Lewis, dec.

James McCullough
Thos. Byrn
George (X) Whollen

Wit: James Porteus.
17 Feb. 1735 [1736]. Ack. and OR.

Page 14. Samuel Hensley. Inventory. Appraisers sworn pursuant to order of 17 Feb. 1735 [1736] before Charles Curtis. Total valuation £ 59.-.9, including one Negro.

James Cox
Andr. Harrison
Henry Rice

16 March 1735. James Cox, Andrew Harrison and Henry Rice returned the appraisement.

Page 14. Jacob Wigons. Inventory. 17 May 1736. No total valuation given.

Richd. Halcomb
Jno. Layton
Zachary Sparks

18 May 1736. Presented into Court by R. Halcomb, Jno. Layton and Zach. Sparks.

Page 15. Thomas Lewis. Inventory. Appraisers sworn in obedience to order of 17 Feb. 1735 [1736] before Col. G. Lightfoot. Total valuation £ 5.5.6.

Henry Rice
William Bohannan
Isaac (I) Bletsoe

17 March 1735 [1736]. Henry Rice, William Bohannan and Isaac Bletsoe returned the appraisement.

Pages 15-16. Will of Thomas Wright, being sick and weak, dated 15 Nov. 1735.

To my loving wife Francis Wright all my hold estate enduring her natural life and at her death as followeth

To my son Thomas Wright all my land and the remainder part of my estate to be equally divided amongst my children.

My two sons hole and sole executors.

Wit:
Samuel Ball
Ann Ball

Thomas Wright

15 June 1736. Presented into Court by Thomas Wright, Junr., and Richard Wright. Proved by oathes of Samuel and Ann Ball.

Pages 16-17. Bond of Thomas Wright, Richard Wright and Christopher Zimmerman unto Goodrich Lightfoot. For £ 100. 15 June 1736. Thomas Wright and Richard Wright are exors. of Thomas Wright, dec.

Thos. (T) Wright
Richd. (R) Wright
Christopher Zimmerman

Wit: James Porteus.

15 June 1736. Ack. and admitted to record.

Page 17. Samuel Hansley. Additional inventory. Total valuation £ 7.2.0.

James Cox
Andrw. Harrison

15 June 1736. Delivered into Court by Jams. Cox and admitted to record.

Pages 18-19. Bond of Blanch Wall and Francis Kirtlet unto Goodrich Lightfoot, justice. For £ 200. 20 July 1736. Blanch Wall is administratrix of Jacob Wall, dec.

Blanch (X) Wall
Francis (F) Kirtlet

Wit: James Porteus.
20 July 1736. Ack. and admitted to record.

Page 19. Joseph Steep. Inventory [Estate account].

Received from Mr. William Hackney	150 [lbs. tobo.]	
Received from Joseph Cotton	40	
Do from Mr. John Chipman for sundry cloaths sold by auction	111 & [£] 0. 3.8	
From Joseph Thomas Do	10	
Received from Mr. Robert Slaughter		9.0
Do John Brown		3.9
From Mr. Kertley for two boys two months each	49	

The estate of Joseph Step to Robt. Green

To the Hoble. Alexr. Spotswood for Doctors Means as per his acct.	6/6
To one bottle of wine to receive the sacrement by the deceasd orders	

[No entry of recording.]

Pages 20-22. Will of Robert Whartington of the new settlement on Shenadore being sick in body, dated 2 Oct. 1735.

Unto my youngest son Robert Whartington one thousand acres of land it being part of a tract of land called Quarry Bank new stile formerly called Evorys Mash laid out for three thousand acres.

Unto my son Jacob Whartington six hundred acres of land it being part of the above said tract. Note. I gave the above said Jacob this land for many services which he has done for me having given him his portion before.

Unto my grandsons Robt. and Jacob Whartington four hundred acres of land to be equally divided between them two it being part of the abovesaid tract.

Unto my daughters Martha and Mary Whartington one thousand acres of land to be equally divided between them, it being part of the above said tract and includes the three thousand acres.

Unto Samuel, Jacob and Esther Whartington the sum of five shillings currt. money to be paid to each of them, then having received their full portions already.

All the remainder of my personal estate to be disposed of as followeth, one third part to my wife Mary Whartington, and the other two thirds to be equally divided between my son Robert Whartington and my two daughters Martha and Mary Whartington.

My loving friends John Smith and John Littlale executors.

Wit: Robert R Whartington
Samuel Richardson
Joseph Wall
Nathaniel Harper

1 Nov. 1735. Joseph Wall and Nathaniel Harper depose and say that they saw the testator sign the foregoing will. The other witness Samuel Richardson being one of the people

called Quakers doth solemnly affirm and declare that he also saw the testator sign the foregoing testament.

D. Dulany Comry.

True Copy Per John Gibson Regr.

A true copy from the original will of the aforementioned Robert Whartington now remaining in the Prerogative Office of the Province of Maryland. 1 Nov. 1735.

Per John Gibson Regr.

20 July 1736. Presented into Court by John Litler and John Smith, the original will being formerly proved in Maryland.

Pages 22-23. Bond of John Smith, John Littlale and Benja. Borden unto Goodrich Lightfoot, justice. For £ 1000. 20 July 1736. John Smith and John Littlale are exors. of Robert Whartington.

John Smith
John Littler
Benja. Borden

Wit: James Porteus.
20 July 1736. Returned and OR.

Pages 23-24. Will of Augustine Smith of the parish of St. Mark in the County of Orange, undated.

To my son Thomas Smith twenty shillings currt. money of Virga. he having had his full part and shear of my estate already.

To my daughter Mary Slaughter twenty shillings currt. money of Virga. she having had her full part and shear of my estate already.

To my grandson Lawrence Slaughter the mulatto boy George.

To my son Augustine Smith junr. all that tract of land belonging to my plantation being three hundred sixty six acres surveyed by Mr. James Wood surveyor and the remainder of that tract where John Carder liveth being two hundred and fifty acres and all my meat cattle, horses and mares and hoggs and all my household goods provided that my said son Augustine Smith junr. do acknowledge, levy, execute good and sufficient deeds to the honble. John Grymes Esqr. in and unto a certain tract or parcell of land containing three hundred thirty three acres which Abraham and William Bledsoe made deeds to the said Augustine Smith junr. for the said land, but if my said son doth refuse and will not acknowledge such deeds then the above gift to be void. Then my executor hereafter named shall sell to any person that will purchase and buy the above-said two tracts of land and meat, cattle, horses and mares and hoggs to pay the honble. John Grymes Esqr. his debt.

[It appears this will was never completed.]

20 July 1736. Presented into Court by Robert Slaughter, Gent., who desired leave to administer on the estate. Letters of administration granted Robert Slaughter, Gent., who gave bond with John Taliaferro and Samuel Ball his securities.

Pages 24-25. Bond of Robert Slaughter, John Taliaferro and Samuel Ball unto Goodrich Lightfoot, justice. For £ 1000. 20 July 1736. Robert Slaughter is admr. with the will annexed of Augustine Smith, dec.

Robert Slaughter
John Taliaferro
Samuel Ball

Wit: J. Porteus.
20 July 1736. Ack. and OR.

Pages 26-27. William Rush. Inventory. Total valuation £ 31.16.6.

Michell (T) Cloier
Henry (X) McCay
Willim (X) Lucas

21 July 1736. Returned by Henry McCoy.

Pages 27-29. Thomas Wright. Inventory. No total valuation given.

Matthew Stanton
Thomas Byrn
John Bond

17 Aug. 1736. Produced into Court by John Bond.

Pages 28-29. Bond of Mercie Vickery and Peter Woolf unto Goodrich Lightfoot, justice. For £ 50. 17 Aug. 1736. Mercie Vickery is admx. of Hezekiah Vickery.

Mercie (X) Vickery
Peter Woolf

Wit: James Porteus.
17 Aug. 1736. Ack. and admitted to record.

Page 30. Jacob Wall. Inventory of the estate in the hands of Blanch Wall his wife, administratrix. Total valuation £ 6.5.3.

James Turner
Isaac Norman
John Roberts

19 Oct. 1736. Presented into Court by James Turner and admitted to record.

Pages 30-31. Hezekiah Vickery. Inventory. 13 Oct. 1736. Total valuation £ 8.11.11.

George Rust
John Nation
John Reid

19 Oct. 1736. Returned into Court by Thomas Postgate.

Pages 31-32. Augustine Smith, Gent. Inventory. Made pursuant to order of 20 July 1736. Appraisers sworn before Goodrich Lightfoot, Gent. Estate produced by Robert Slaughter, Gent., admr. with the will annexed. Total valuation £ 146.7.6, including 8 Negroes valued at £ 100 and Mary Bryan, a mulatto, valued at £ 10.

W. Russell
James Pollard
Henry Field

25 Nov. 1736. Robert Slaughter, Gent., returned this appraisement.

Pages 33-34. Bond of Betty Kirk, William Rosson and Samuel Wright unto Goodrich Lightfoot, Gent., justice. For £ 150.

24 Feb. 1736/7. Betty Kirk is admx. of James Kirk, dec.
Betty (X) Kirk
Wm. (W R) Rosson
Samuel Wright
24 Feb. 1736 [1737]. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 34-35. James Kirk. Inventory. 5 March 1736/7. Made pursuant to order of 24 Feb. 1736/7. Appraisers sworn before James Pollard, Gent. Estate in hands of Betty Kirk, administratrix. Total valuation £ 50.10.-, including two Negroes valued at £ 35.
John Finlasson
Samuel Ball
W. Russell
Signed by Betty (X) Kirk.
24 March 1736. Presented into Court by Wm. Russell, Gent., one of the appraisers.

Pages 36-37. Bond of Margret Gray, Wm. Russell and John Michael unto Goodrich Lightfoot, justice. For £ 100. 26 May 1737. Margret Gray is admx. of Wm. Gray, dec.
Margret (X) Gray
Wm. Russell
John Mickel
Wit: James Porteus.
26 May 1737. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 37-41. Robert Worthington, late of Orange County. Inventory. 7 Aug. 1736. Appraised by Morgan Morgan, John van Metre and Morgan Bryan. Total valuation £ 130.00.09.
Morgan an
John van Metre
Morgan Bryan
Additional inventory. 23 Aug. 1736. Total valuation £ 1.9.3.
Additional inventory. 16 May 1737.
Morgan an
John van Metre
John (J S P) Pateate
Morgan Bryan
Credits by credit in the hands of Richard Wood £ 1. 0. 0
By Pennsylvania money received from Thos. Wilson 17. 3
By due in John Littler's hands 14. 6
26 May 1737. John Smith)
John Littler) Exors.
26 May 1737. John Smith and John Littler, exrs. of Robert Worthington, dec., gave into open Court this inventory.

Pages 41-43. Bond of Elizabeth Tayler, Saml. Ball and Wm. Russell, Gent., unto Goodrich Lightfoot, Gent., justice. For £ 50. 26 May 1736. Elizabeth Tayler is admx. of Wm. Tayler, dec.
Elizabeth (O) Tayler
Wm. Russell
Samell Ball
26 May 1737. Ack. and admitted to record.

Page 43. James Kirk. Additional inventory.
Signed by Betty Kirk.
22 Sept. 1737. Presented into Court and admitted to record.

Pages 43-44. William Gray. Inventory. Made pursuant to order of 26 May 1737. Total valuation £ 35.10.6, including one servant man named Michal Reily valued at £ 6.0.0, and one servant girl named Catron Grady valued at 10 shillings.

James Pollard
Saml. Ball
John Corder

22 7br [Sept.] 1737. Presented into Court and admitted to record.

Pages 45-46. Wm. Tayler. Inventory. Made in obedience to order of 26 May 1737. Total valuation £ 31.14.3.

James Pollard
John Finlasson
John Carder

Signed by Elizabeth (O) Tayler.
22 Sept. 1737. Returned into Court by Elizabeth Tayler, his widow.

Pages 46-47. Bond of Isaac Perkins, Lewis Niel and Lewis Stephens unto Goodrich Lightfoot, Gent., justice. For £ 200. 27 April 1738. Isaac Perkins is admr. of Joseph Hollingsworth.

Isaac Perkins
Lewis Neill
Lewis Stephans

27 April 1738. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 47-49. Bond of William Jackson, Wm. Offill and James Dyer unto Goodrich Lightfoot, Gent., justice. For £ 100. 25 May 1738. William Jackson is admr. of John Beeswell.

William Jackson
Wm. Offill
James Dyer

25 May 1738. Ack. and admitted to record.

Page 49. John Beeswell. Inventory. Made in obedience to an order of 25 May 1738. Estate produced to appraisers by Wm. Jackson. Total valuation £ 6.7.3.

John Goff
George Anderson
John Rucker

22 June 1738. John Rucker presented this inventory which is admitted to record.

Pages 50-51. Bond of John Carpenter, Frederick Cobler and John Willhite unto Samuel Ball, justice. For £ 150 sterling. 27 July 1738. John Carpenter is admr. of Andrew Kercher.

John (X) Carpenter
Frederick (F) Cobler
John (J) Willhite

Wit: James Porteus.
27 July 1738. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 51-53. Bond of Henry Thornton, Wm. Bryan and Wm. Bell unto Robert Slaughter, justice. For £ 50. 27 July 1738. Henry Thornton is admr. of Richard Parsons, dec.

Henry Thornton
William (X) Bryan
W. Bell

Wit: J. Porteus.
28 July 1738. Ack. and admitted to record.

Page 53. Richard Parsons. Inventory. Appraisers sworn before Benjn. Cave. Total valuation £ 3.7.9.

John Wisdom
Abrahm. Bledsoe
Charles Blunt

24 Aug. 1738. Returned by Henry Thornton and admitted to record.

Pages 54-57. Church Account belonging to the Evangelical Lutheran congregation in Spotsylvania County in Virginia kept by Andrew Kercher, Churchwardens [sic] of the said congregation begun January the first 1733.

To money agreed on and given by each family for providing a minister	[£]	2. 7. 0
To an offering made the second Sunday after Trinity at the first communion		1.10. 0
To money delivered by Ziriachus Fleishman and Michael Smith the collectors the 19 Xber 1733		7.14. 6
To the like wares [sundry wares given to the church] sold to George Shibley for		14. 3
To the like wares sold to Zyriachus Fleishman for		19. 6
To other wares sold to Andw. Kercher for		19. 5

28 Xber [Dec.] 1733.

John Casper Stover minister
Churchwardens Michael Cook
Michael Smith
Michael Clore
Hans George Utz

Disbursements 1733

By money paid to Shibley for travelling to Pensylvania with our minister when he went to receive his orders	17. -
By money paid by George Sheibley to the Rev. Mr. Shultz in Pensylvania for the ordination	1. 3. -
By paid our minister John Caspar Stover his travelling expences to Pensylvania	1. 9. -
By paid Urban Tanner for travelling to Wmsburgh about church business	12. -
By drink money paid to Wm. Carpenter's wife on account of the land bought for the minister	18. 6
By paid Wm. Carpenter after deduction of the earnest money for the land bought for the	

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minister	5. -. -
By paid for building a kitchen and henn house on the minister's plantation	2.15. -
By paid Fleischman and Mickl. Smith their expences and 1/5 part of their collection	3. 2. 4
By paid Michael Willhite	1. -
By money remitted to John Raussen	1. -
By paid Cook and Smith for travelling expences twice going to Court	1. -. -
By paid Michael Cook for a table for the minister's house	2. 6

Money received 1734

To John Willer's gift delivered by Fleishman	2. 6
To further payment made by Fleishman on acct. of the money scales bought for Smith	4. 6
To money paid by Hoffman towards the minister's salary	5. -
To money paid by Richard Bordine for the minister's salary	2. 6
To a present made by Michl. Claur to the church	18.1½

24 Sept. 1734 John Casper Stoever minister
Michael Cook Andrew Kercher
Michael Clore Hans Zeuchr
Michael Smith

Disbursements 1734

By expences for the minister, Andw. Kercher, Michael Claure, George Utz in Fredksburgh at the settling the accounts of the collection and moving for leave to make a collection which was granted by the Court	12. 9
By post money laid out by Blanchenbuchler repaid him for a letter sent on church business	3. 4
By paid John Hoffman for 9 days carpenters work to the minister's house	1. 2. 6
By paid George Sheibley for his part of the collectn. dues	6. -
By paid for two quarts brandy at the raising of the minister's house to Michael Clore	2. 6
By money due from Christopher Uhl and Frederick Cappeller yet unpaid	2. -
By further payment to Wm. Carpenter for the minister's land	1. 1.10
By further payment to Wm. Carpenter on account of the minister's land being therewith fully paid	18.1½

24 Aug. 1738. This account of several sums of money received and disbursed by Andrew Kercher for the use of the German Congregation was presented into Court by John Carpenter, admr. of the said Andrew Kercher, dec., and James Porteus made oath that to the best of his skill and knowledge the said account was truly translated from the German into English.

Page 58. Joseph Hollingsworth. Inventory. 1 Aug. 1738.
Total valuation £ 28.15. -.

Just Heite
Hugh (H) Parrell
Peter Falkner

24 Aug. 1738. Presented into Court by Isaac Perkins and admitted to record.

Pages 59-60. Bond of Patrick Boggin, Solomon Hedges and Peter Hedges unto Robert Slaughter, justice. For £ 200 sterling. 24 Aug. 1738. Patrick Boggin is admr. of Neal McSwaine.

Patrick Boggan
Solomon Hedges
Peter (X) Hedges

24 Aug. 1738. Ack. and admitted to record.

Page 60. The remaining part of Richard Parsons, dec. [Inventory]. Total valuation £ 1.3.10.

Abraham Bletcher
Charles Blunt
John Wisdom

Receed. of the estate of Richard Parsons, dec., fourteen shillings from Michael Gary and ten shillings from James Barton. Per me Henry Thornton

28 Sept. 1738. Presented into Court by Henry Thornton and admitted to record.

Pages 61-62. Bond of Elizabeth Pitts, Richard Steavenson and James McKee unto Robert Slaughter, Gent., justice. For £ 200. 28 7ber [Sept.] 1738. Eliza. Pitts is admx. of John Pitts, dec.

Elizabeth Pitts
Richard (R) Stevenson
James McKee

Wit: James Porteus.
28 7ber [Sept.] 1738. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 62-63. Bond of Jane Smith, John Lilburn and Lewis Thomas unto Robert Slaughter, Gent., justice. For £ 200. 28 7ber [Sept.] 1738. Jane Smith is admx. of John Smith.

Jn Smith
John Lilburn
Lewis (T) Thomas

Wit: Thos. Wood.
28 7ber [Sept.] 1738. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 64-65. An inventory of the effects found with a strange man drownded in Potomack River and taken upon the 17 Aug. 1738.

There was no money of any sort found with him nor no writing save one letter.

Declared by us

Morgan an
Jeremiah York
George Moor
Richard (M) Morgan
Joseph (J) Bryan
Adam (A) Sherrell

Morgan Bryan
Michael (X) Moore
Jno. Williams
Francis (X) Pincher
Thos. (T) Cadroy
Henry (H) Frexe

James (X) Towland
Jurors

Michael Rhoddy dugg the grave &
Charles Hyet tended the man
Robt. Pendle tended the man
Timothy (T) Downen tended the man
Margaret Sherrell)
Susanna Pendle) evidences
Mary Hyat)

21 Aug. 1738. The within mentioned mare was proved to be a stolen mare before me by one John Mendenhall in Lancaster County in the Province of Pennsylvania and that the said mare do belong to one Evan David of Lancaster County in the Province of Pennsylvania and that the mans name is Henry Burges. Affirmed before

Morgan an

24 Aug. 1738. Morgan Morgan, Gent., returned into Court this inventory of a drowned strange man's estate on whose body by him was held a jury of inquisition. It is ordered that the sheriff should take the estate into his hands and make return of his proceedings to the next Court.

Page 65. An inventory of the dead man's goods sold to Morgan Morgan on 12 Oct. 1738. [£] 0. 9. 4
Bought by Thos. Postgate 2. 9. 0

Per Thos. Postgate D.S.O.C.

26 Oct. 1738. Thomas Postgate, Deputy Sheriff, presented into Court this his return of the sale of the dead man's estate (on whom an inquest was taken by Captn. Morgan).

Pages 66-67. Will of Thomas Southworth of the County of Orange County [sic] of Virginia, dated 17 April 1738.

To my beloved Wm. Southworth one hundred acres of land bought of John Terrell in Orange County.

The remaining part of my personal estate lying in Orrgnge County to be equally divided between the said Wm. Southworth and my sister Catherine Heartgrove.

To my said brother and sister four head of cattle lying in Midlesex County to be equally divided between them and I do hereby make my beloved brother Wm. Southworth my sole executor.

Wit: Thomas (X) Southworth
Jno. Woolfolk
Thos. Rickeson
James Southworth

23 Nov. 1738. Presented into Court by Wm. Southworth. Proved by the oaths of John Woolfolk and Thomas Richerson.

Pages 67-68. Bond of Wm. Scuthworth, Thos. Richardson and Jno. Woolfolk unto Robert Slaughter, justice. For £ 50.
23 Nov. 1738. Wm. Southworth is exor. of Thomas Southworth.

William W. Southworth [mark?]
Thos. Richeson
John Woolfolk

23 Nov. 1738. Ack. and admitted to record

Pages 68-69. Andrew Kercher. Inventory. Total valuation £ 135.2.- including

Eight hundred acres of land at	£ 42. -. -
One grist mill at	20. -. -
One plantation at	15. -. -
One Negro	27. -. -

Note that John Zimmerman (Anglice Carpenter) hath paid half of all the above mentioned.

George Utz
Michal Cook
Tobias Willhite

23 9br [Nov.] 1738. Presented into Court by John Carpenter.

Pages 69-71. Bond of William Russell, John Roberts and John Newport unto Robert Slaughter, Gent., justice. For £ 50. 23 9br [Nov.] 1738. William Russell is admr. of Wm. Hoening.

W. Russell
John Roberts
John Newport

23 Nov. 1738. Ack. and OR.

Pages 71-72. Bond of Cornelius Comegis, Daniel Burnit and Richard Pendall unto Robert Slaughter, justice. For £ 100. 22 Feb. 1738 [1739]. Cornelius Comegis is admr. of John Largiant, dec.

Cornelius (X) Comegis
Daniel (D) Burnit
Richard Pendall

22 Feb. 1738 [1739]. Ack. and OR.

Pages 72-74. Will of James Cox of St. Mark's Parish in the County of Orange being very sick and weak, dated 16 Dec. 1738.

To my youngest son John Cox all that tract of land containing two hundred acres with the plantation and all improvements whereon I now dwell with twenty five acres I purchased of Edward Haley joyning to the same tract on this side of a branch that is to say next to where I now live which is not yet acknowledged to me.

Two hundred acres of land to my son Frances Cox adjoyning to the line of Andrew Harrison and Capt. Gwin, it being part of a tract of five hundred and eighty acres not yet patent.

To my son James Cox two hundred acres joyning to my son Frances.

To my daughter Naomi Cox one hundred and eighty acres joyning to my son James being the remainder part of the same tract.

To my eldest son William Cox one hundred and fifty acres of land lying in Hanover County on the line of the county on both sides of the branches of Lynches River.

One hundred and fifty acres of land to my son James Cox being part of the same tract with my son William.

To Henry Isbell three hundred acres of land which the said Henry Isbell now lives on joyning to the line of Henry Reid and Captn. Gwin and Richard Sharps [?].

Unto John Evans one hundred and twenty acres of land whereon the said Evans now dwells being part of the same tract of

Henry Isbells.

Unto Joseph Holder one hundred and ten acres of land being the remainder part of that tract of Henry Isbell and John Evans and joyning to Samuel Hensley.

Unto my brother William Cox four hundred acres of land which the said William Cox now lives on provided that he pays unto my estate nine pounds currt. money within one month and that he likewise pay the quitrents of the said land when it shall be demanded and if he shall pay the ballance of the money due for the said land by the first days of January one thousand seven hundred and thirty nine, but if my brother fail to pay the several sums of money mentioned, my exrs. to sell the said land my brother Wm. Cox now lives on by way of out cry.

I allow my heirs and executors to sell two lotts of land above the Little Mountain on the branches of Swift Run belonging to me, four hundred acres each tract, to pay part of my debts.

My desire is to leave my Negro man Dombo and all my other moveable estate to my beloved wife Elizabeth so long as she shall remain a widow and if my wife shall decease before marriage I ordain it to be equally divided amongst all my children.

If either my son James or Frances or my daughter Naomi shall die before they shall come to lawful age the lower lott of the five hundred and eighty acres of land I gave to them to be sold.

William Waller, Gent., of Spotsylvania County and my son William Cox and Elizabeth my wife my only and sole executors.

Wit: James Cox
Henry Isbell
Edward Haley
Henry Reid

22 Feb. 1738 [1739]. Presented into Court by Wm. Waller, Gent., who refused to take upon him the burden of the executorship and thereupon Elizabeth the relict of the said James Cox, dec., and Wm. Cox the other two exrs. made oath thereto. Proved by the oaths of Henry Reid and Henry Isbell.

Page 75. Wm. Hocking. Inventory. Estate in the hands of Wm. Russell, admr. Appraisers sworn before Samuel Ball, Gent. Total valuation £ 9.19.6.

Thos. Pollard
Samuel Wright
John (X) Dowdee

Signed by W. Russell, admr.

22 Feb. 1738 [1739]. Presented into Court by Wm. Russell, Gent.

Pages 75-77. Bond of Rees Smith, Lewis Stephens and Lewis Thomas unto Robert Slaughter, Gent., justice. For £ 200. 22 March 1738 [1739]. Rees Smith is admr. of John Smith, dec.

Rees Smith
Lewis Stephens
Lewis (T) Thomas

22 March 1738 [1739]. Ack. and OR.

Pages 77-78. Neail McSwain. Inventory. Total valuation £ 21.8.8.
Morgan Bryan
Wam. Roberts
John Lilburn
22 March 1738 [1739]. Presented into Court by John Lilburn.

Pages 78-79. James Cox. Inventory. Made in obedience to an order of 22 Feb. 1738. Appraisers sworn before Mr. Richard Winslow. Total valuation £ 69.6.6.
Henry Rice
Henry Isbell
Robt. Bickers
22 March 1738 [1739]. Presented into Court by Henry Rice.

Pages 79-80. Bond of Goodrich Lightfoot, Philemon Cavenaugh and John Christopher unto Robert Slaughter, justice. For £ 500. 22 March 1738 [1739]. Goodrich Lightfoot is admr. of Goodrich Lightfoot, Gent., dec.
G. Lightfoot
Philemon (X) Cavanaugh
Jno. Christopher
22 March 1738 [1739]. Ack. and OR.

Page 81. Bond of Nathaniel Chapman, Henry Willis and John Allen unto Robert Slaughter. For £ 500. 22 March 1738 [1739]. Nathaniel Chapman is admr. of Peter Faulkner, dec.
Nathll. Chapman
Hen. Willis
Jno. Allen
22 March 1738 [1739]. Ack. and OR.

Page 82. Bond of John Caspar Stover, Henry Willis and Thomas Wood unto Robert Slaughter, justice. For £ 1000. 24 May 1739. John Caspar Stover is exor. of John Caspar Stover, dec.
John Caspar Stoever
Hen. Willis
Thos. Wood
24 May 1739. Ack. and OR.

Pages 83-89. Will of John Caspar Stover.

Peter Evans, Register General for the Probate of Wills and Granting Letters of Administration in and for the Province of Pennsylvania and the Counties of New Castle, Kent and Sussex in Delaware, certifies the will of John Caspar Stover, 20 March 1738 [1739]:

Since the Great God hath determined an end for all mankind although the manner and hour thereof by none is foreknown, yet he sendeth sometimes messengers of sickness, which I also have experienced on my sea voyage from England to Pensylvania and thence to Virginia.

I have to set in order two great house affairs both concerning the house of God as my own family. I will therefore begin on the chiefest as the Lord's house.

The articles of agreement with my congregation and the certificate from the Governour to his Britannick Majesty of Williamsburgh testifies of whom I depend and what I and my companions after the finishing of the collections on such long and very dangerous journey for our faithful sincerity should enjoy.

Michael Holdt hath truly accompanied us unto Danzig, but what wicked knaveries he hath raised there agt. us and what damage in our collecting affairs by the ministry in London on his return he hath caused cannot well be restituted unto these Congregation with 400 pistoles, Yea how through him and his wicked mouth that blessed institutum when a well learned man, Master George Samuel Klug by the heart bending grace of God hath fully resolved and in Elbringen as a second minister of this congregation the calling accepted and further in Danzig the confirmation received for whose maintenance in his journey from there to London we have paid 400 Elbringish 200 or Dutch Florens according to the currency in the Empire and for reason of the many recommendations from a great many high Lords both spiritual and temporal, as from other great merchants our full and abundant confidence was further confirmed, that the great God would prosper our collections so far that constantly two ministers without the least charges to the congregation could been maintained and likewise a church and other unto the worship of God becessary buildings could been erected.

Now my beloved son John Caspar Stover, minister in Conastoken, unto thee and Michael Shmidt I do give the full power to do thy earnest endeavour for the estate of this church and especially the well ordering of divine service. And if these beloved congregation should call thee for their minister in my place thou ought to accept of it.

As soon as thou hearest anything of Michael Shmidt go to Philadelphia and assist him as good as possibly to bring unto thine house him, his and mine goods and two other families going along to Virginia. These done send directly an express messenger for the three remaining Churchwardens to come speedily to hear the general letters of attorney which thee has received, likewise the account of mine and Michael Shmits concerning the whole collection according to the memorials set down in the collection books as also in other letters not inserted into the collection books, and also especially in a small Hamburger Almanack wherein I have set down many great and small sums in the Lattine tongue.

Send also letters along to my wife and children because thee hast likewise full orders what thee shoulds't distribute for a patrimony to her self and to all my children that they may come together with the Churchwardens.

I did send from Hamburgh unto John Henning Carstens of London a great chest of books.

We have also got a great many more books as gifts from the booksellers in Leipzig, and Strasburg, but since they was of no service to the congregation we have changed them with a bookseller in Frankfort for 200 Frankforter handbooks which I and Michael Shmidt got bound for the congregation. The

others which we have got at Strasburg we have changed in Dearmsteddt for long books with great letters.

I and Michael Shmidt bought in Plymouth hundred pieces of cut window glass.

Further observe as much as in thy power lyeth this congregation and her true best. Write on her behalf unto Master Fresenium the minister of Prince Darmstatts Court and desire him to send in case of necessity a new minister over here.

As touching my beloved wife it shall be given to her all what she has on cattle, horses, swines and all other living creatures, all household stuff, bedding, pewter, copper, iron, linnen, in short she shall give to no body any account in the least of these things, notwithstanding these condition when she during my absence had behaved herself as an honest woman ought to have done, that both my office and honour with her scandalous tongue, not hath blamed or slandered and therewith great offence given In such like case shall all from the greatest even unto the smallest even unto the clothes of her body be snatched away from her and shall be added to the gift bequeathed by me to the children.

But those out of the second wedlock shall receive nothing into their hands untill they have reached their respective ages. Thou my dear son shall observe them heartily for their education both in Christianity as their livelyhood from their money which thou hast in possession.

Subscribed through the scool master John Ebert upon sea in my sickness

John Casper Stover minister of the Dutch Lutheran Church in Virginia

Wit:
Michael Shmidt
William Missing
John Ebert

I have examined the foregoing with the original in the Dutch language and believe the same to be a true translation.
20 March 1738 [1739]. Christian Grassold

Philadelphia 20 March 1738 [1739]. Michael Shmidt upon his oath did declare he saw and heard John Caspar Stover declare the same will to be his last will and testament.

24 May 1739. Presented into Court by John Caspar Stover Clk. Proved by the oath of Michael Shmidt.

Pages 89-90. Thos. Southworth. Inventory. Made in obedience to an order of 22 Feb. 1738 [1739] at the house of Wm. Southworth in the County of Caroline. Total valuation £ 10.19.6.

Thomas Browning
Robt. George
Thos. Richeson

15 March 1738 [1739]. Sworn before Mr. Hoad Lynch.
24 May 1739. Presented into Court by Zachary Lewis, Gent.

Pages 90-92. Will of John Calvert of the Colony of Virginia and County of Orange, farmer, being sick and weak of body, dated 2 Oct. 1738.

Unto my wife Jane one third part of all my lands within

this colony during her natural life to be taken out of that tract or plantation I now live upon.

To my sons Robert and Isiah the remainder of all that tract or parcell of land patined for eight hundred and fifty acres (where John Steavenson now lives) when Terrence Kellys part is laid of and taken from it according to agreement. The improved end of said land to my son Robert, the other to Isiah.

Whereas I have an additional survey made joyning to the foresaid tract lying down the run called hoggs run and return made to the office but the pattin not yet come out nor at present am I certain of the quantity, I therefore hereby give unto my daughter Margaret three hundred acres to be taken of the lower end thereof on the foresaid run and the remainder of the said additional survey to my sons Robert and Isiah.

I give and appoint my son Richard Calvert the remainder of my home tract of land (when his mother's part is first taken off) to live upon during his said mother's lifetime and at her decease I give unto my two youngest daughters Rebecca and Ann Colvert each two hundred acres of land to be taken and laid of my said home plantation at the lower end thereof out of what is before appointed to my son Richard Colvert, my present dwelling house and the remains of the said nine hundred and ninety two acres thereto belonging to him after the death of his mother.

Unto my wife Jane my young bay mare.

Unto my son Robert the young gre horse called Wanton.

To my son Isiah his choice of the two young horse colts now going with my gree and bay mayers. The other of my said colts to my son Richard.

Unto my neece Elizabeth Corey one brindled calf, also another young cow with calf and a bay horse colt coming two years old.

To my three daughters Margaret, Rebecca and Ann a bay mare with a star in her forehcad.

All the rest, residue and remains of my estate real and personal to be equally divided to my wife and six children.

My loving wife Jane Colvert and my beloved sons Robert and Isiah Calvert and my friend and brother Wm. McMahan my executors.

Wit: John Calvert
John Rennoll
Terrence Kelly
Henry Jones

28 June 1739. Presented into Court by Jane Calvert, Robert and Isiah Calvert and Wm. McMahan. Proved by the oaths of Terrence Kelly and John Rennolls.

Pages 92-93. Bond of Jane Calvert, Robert Calvert, Isaiah Calvert, Wm. McMahan, James McCrackin and Terrence Kelly unto Robert Slaughter, Gent. For £ 200. 28 June 1739. Jane Calvert, Robert Colvert, Isaiah Calvert, Wm. McMachen are exors. of John Calvert.

Jane (X) Calvert
Robert Calvert

Isaiah Calvert
Wm. McMachen
James McCracken
Terrence Kelly

Wit: Thos. Wood.
28 June 1739. Ack. and OR.

Pages 94-96. Goodrich Lightfoot, Gent. Inventory. Made pursuant to an order of 22 March 1738 [1739]. Offered to view of appraisers by Goodrich Lightfoot, administrator. Total valuation £ 208.11.10, including five Negroes valued at £ 70 and one servant boy named Wm. Barron balued at £ 5.

John Bramham
John Cattlet
Edward Spencer

24 May 1739. Presented into Court by Goodrich Lightfoot, Gent., and admitted to record.

Page 96. In this instrument of writing I give full power to James Porteus in behalf of Col. Henry Willis to administer the estate of my father John Caspar Stover and to keep all the same in his hands only one third part untill I give the said Willis good counter security for the said estate. 24 May 1739.

John Caspar Stoever

24 May 1739. John Caspar Stoever ack. this power of attorney to James Porteus in behalf of Col. Willis.

Pages 96-98. John Largant. Inventory. Given in by the administrator Cornelius Comeger. Total valuation £ 45.12.8. 14 May 1739.

William Vestal
Richard Penell
Samuel Walker

Signed by Cornelius (C) Cummger, admr.
28 June 1739. Presented into Court by Cornelius Comeger and admitted to record.

Pages 98-99. John Smith. Inventory. Praised at his house 27 April 1739. Total valuation £ 6.2.3 Va. money.

Paul Willaume [Williams]
Neill Thomson
John Frost

Signed by Rees Smith, admr.
28 June 1739. Presented into Court by Rees Smith the admr.

Pages 99-102. John Caspar Stoever. Inventory. Made in obedience to an order of 24 May 1739. Total valuation £ 218.17.9½. 29 May 1739.

John Finlasson
Benja. Cave
Hen. Downs
Michael Schmidt

28 June 1739. Presented into Court by James Porteus.

Pages 102-04. Bond of Sarah Worthington, Jacob Worthington and James McCrackin unto Robert Slaughter, Gent., justice.

For £ 200. Sarah Worthington is administratrix of Samuel Worthington, dec.

Sarah (X) Worthington
Jacob Worthington
James McCraken

28 June 1739. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 104-05. Jhon [sic] Pitts. Inventory. Total valuation £ 44.18.-

John Mauarmick [?]
Samuel Walker
Hugh Gilder

28 June 1739. Returned by Elizabeth the relict of John Pitts, dec.

Page 106. Robert Worthington. Estate account. Made in pursuance to order of 29 June 1739.

John Smith. By a journey to Potuxens 6 days at 3/	£ 0.18. 0
John Littler. By a journey to Patuxent 6 days at 3/	-.18. -

Morgan
David Vance
T. Wood

23 Aug. 1739. James Wood, Gent., presented into Court this settlement.

Pages 107-08. Bond of Elizabeth Pitts, Henry Robinson, Abel Pearson unto Robert Slaughter, Gent., justice. For £ 250. 27 7br [Sept.] 1739. Elizabeth Pitts is admx. of James Gardner, dec.

Elizabeth Pitts
Henry Robinson
Abel Pearson

Wit: Thos. Wood.
27 Sept. 1739. Ack. and OR.

Page 108. Richard Parsons. Estate account.

	[lbs. tobo.]
Paid to Benj. Cave on the sd. Parsons account	370
Paid to Henry David on Parsons account	205
To fees due on acct. of a petn. between the said Parsons and Keaton which I paid to Mr. Downs	50
To Wm. Crosthwait	£ -.15. 6
To Mr. Waller	-. 1. 3
Costs of suit on his acct. paid to Mr. Lewis	-. 7. 6

Henry Thornton, admr.

28 July 1739. Presented into Court and admitted to record.

Pages 108-09. Will of William Smith of Orange County, being sick and weak, dated 14 Sept. 1739.

Unto my son Edwin Smith one gray horse, one feather bed and furniture and one cow and calf, and the liberty of working what ground he shall have an occation of on the plantation whereon I now live.

Unto my two sons John and Samuel Smiths one shilling sterling a piece, they having received their parts before.

Unto my two daughters Eliza and Ann one shilling sterling a piece they having received their parts before.

Unto my son Jesse Smith one Negro boy named George and that he take the crop of toba[cco] now on the plantation after the same is finished and pay my just debts out of the same.

Unto my loving wife Eliza Smith two Negroes named Nan and Moll for ever and one Negro named Wiggon during her natural life, and all the rest of my housall goods for her nessary use and all the stock of hoggs and cattle (except one heiffer to my son Isaac) during her natural life and after her decease to be divided between my sons Edwin and Benjamin.

Unto my son Benjamin Smith one gun and one Negro named Wiggon after my wifes decease, and the tract of land whereon I now live (he allowing my son Edwin to work what part of the same he shall have ocction to do during his natural life).

Unto my granddaughter Mary Ann Bryant one Negro girl named Bess.

It is my will and desire that my estate be not appraised.

I appoint my son Benjamin Smith my whole and sole executor.

Wit: Will Sm:th

Zachary Taylor
George Nettles
Mark (X) Thornton

25 Oct. 1739. Presented into Court by Benja. Smith. Proved by the oaths of Zachary Taylor, George Nettles and Mark Thornton.

Pages 110-11. Bond of Benjamin Smith, Zachary Taylor and John Rucker, Gent., unto Robert Slaughter, Gent., justice. For £ 300. Benjamin Smith is exor. of Wm. Smith, dec.

Benja. (X) Smith
Zach. Taylor
John Rucker

Wit: James Porteus.

25 Oct. 1739. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 111-12. Will of Elizabeth Smith, being sick and weak, dated 26 Sept. 1739.

Unto my son Edwin Smith my Negro woman named Nan and her increase, the first child she shall bring to be for my son Benja. Smith and the rest I lend as before to my son Edwin during his natural life.

Unto my son Isaac Smith one Negro girl named Moll.

Unto my sons John and Saml. Smith one shilling sterling apiece. They have received their parts before.

To my daughter Elizabeth one shilling sterling she having received her part before.

My Negro woman Nan and her increase after my son Edwin's decease go to my daughter Anne except the first child to my son Benjamin.

The first child raised on the Negro Moll to be for my granddaughter Winifred Smith.

All my wearing cloaths to be divided between my two daughters Elizabeth and Ann.

Unto my son Isaac one young horse on the condition that he gives unto my grandson William Bryant one hundred acres of land when he comes to the age of eighteen and that my estate be not appraised.

My son Benjamin Smith my whole and sole executor.

Wit: Eliza (X) Smith
Zachy. Taylor
Mark (X) Thornton

25 Oct. 1739. Presented into Court by Benjamin Smith. Proved by Zachary Taylor and Mark Thornton.

Pages 113-14. Bond of Benjamin Smith, Zachary Taylor and John Rucker, Gent., unto Robert Slaughter, Gent., justice. For £ 150. 25 Oct. 1739. Benjamin Smith is exor. of Elizabeth Smith, dec.

Benja. (X) Smith
Zachy Taylor
John Rucker

Wit: Thos. Wood.

25 Oct. 1739. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 114-15. William Smith. Inventory. Includes five Negroes.

Per Benja. Smyth executor

Elizabeth Smith. Inventory. Consists of two of the above named Negroes and wearing clothes.

Per Benja. Smyth executor

28 Feb. 1739 [1740]. Delivered into Court by Benja. Smith and admitted to record.

Page 116. Goodrich Lightfoot, Gent. Additional inventory. 28 Feb. [1740].

Per Goodrich Lightfoot, admr.

28 Feb. 1739 [1740]. Presented into Court by Goodrich Lightfoot, Gent., and admitted to record.

Pages 116-18. Peter Falkner. Inventory. Made pursuant to order of 24 May 1739. Appraisers sworn before Morgan Morgan, Gent., justice. Total valuation £ 59.6.6.

David Vance
John Frost
Hugh Parell

Signed by Wm. McMachen

28 Feb. 1739 [1740]. Returned and admitted to record.

Pages 118-19. James Gardener. Inventory. Given in by Elizabeth Pitts, admr. 13 Feb. 1739/40. No total valuation.

Lewis (T) Thomas
William Dewis
Samuel Walker

28 Feb. 1739 [1740]. Returned by Elizabeth Pitts and admitted to record.

Page 120. Augustine Smith, Gent. Estate account. Robert Slaughter, admr. 1736.

To paid Colo. Jno. Grymes per a mortgage	£ 32. 0. 0
To paid Do for 20 Rights sterl. 5.0.0	5.16. 8
To paid Thos. Tadlocks judgement 182 tobo.	1.19. 0

To paid Colo. Henry Willis for levies [lbs. tobo.]	381	
To paid Colo. Henry Willis Clks. fees	576	
To paid Mr. James Wood for survr. fee		£ 2.10. 0
To paid Wm. Marshall admr. Froughair per judgt.	436	& 9.18. 6
To paid Mr. Jonath. Gibson pr. judgt. on on obligat[io]n 24.12.0	96	30.18. 0
To paid Capt. Wm. Loney [Toney?] pr. judgt.	2198	
To paid Col. Henry Willis by judgt. in Cave	106	8.0.8 3/4
To 2 lawyers fees ads. Todd in 2 suits		1.10. -
To paid for him to Mr. Gev. Tilly in his life time		7. 0. 0
To Capt. Thos. Hills judgt. for	136	& 5.10. 5½
To Mr. John Gordon's Do	86	& 3.13. 1½
To Mr. Thos. Todds judgt.	7058	

Signed by Robert Slaughter

28 March 1740. Returned by Robert Slaughter, Gent., admr. with the will annexed.

Pages 121-22. Bond of Robert Gresham, Zachary Taylor and Richard Winslow, Gent., to Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 150. 22 May 1740. Robert Gresham is admr. of Thomas Gresham, dec.

Robert (R) Gresham
Zachy Taylor
Richd. Winslow

22 May 1740. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 122-23. Bond of Robert Poage, John McDowell, Gent., and John Anderson to Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 100. 22 May 1740. Robert Poage is admr. of Seth Poage, dec.

Robt. Poage
John McDowell
John Anderson

22 May 1740. Ack. and admitted to record.

Page 124. Bond of Samuel Brittan, Morgan Morgan and Lewis Thomas unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 200. 23 May 1740. Samuel Brittan is guardian of Martha and Robert Worthington, orphans of Robert Worthington, dec.

Samll. Brittan
Morgan an
Lewis (I) Thomas

23 May 1740. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 125-26. John Calvert. Inventory. Appraisers sworn before Morgan Morgan. Total valuation £ 68.4.7.

David Vance Senr.
Robert Allan
David Vance Junr.

Debts due by John Colvert's estate:

To Mr. Jost Hite	£ 3. 2. 2
To John Harrow	13. 1

To Grisham Woodall	£	-.	2.7½
To Robert Warph			4.4½
To George Boman			7. 8
To Mr. James Wood		2.	2. 1
To James Megrowe			2. 9
To James Cathey			1. 8
To Wm. McMachen			2. 8
To Nathaniel Chapman			10. -
To Jacob Whit			2. -
To Mr. Robert Brookes			17. 6

We the undersigned executors do justify the above Count to be just and true

Wm. McMachen Robert Colvert
Jane Steavenson Isaiah Calvert

23 May 1740. Returned into Court.

Pages 126-27. Samuel Worthington. Inventory. 8 Aug. 1739. Sarah Worthington, extx. Total valuation £ 45.8.9.

John Mc auarmich
William Davis
Samuel Walker

23 May 1740. Returned into Court.

Page 128. Thos. Crisom (Gresham). Inventory. Total valuation £ 41.16.- including two Negroes valued at £ 38.0.0.

James Barbour
Thos. Watts
Hen. Downs

26 June 1740. Returned into Court.

Pages 128-29. Seth Poage (Pook). Inventory. John Anderson, John Perkens [?] and Robert King, appraisers, sworn 20 June 1740 before John Lewis. No total valuation given.

[No signatures]

24 July 1740. Returned by Robert Poage.

Pages 129-31. Bond of John Frost, James Wood, Gent., and Robert Worthington unto Thomas Chew, Gent. For £ 50. 24 July 1740. John Frost is admr. of Micha. Sheppard, dec.

John Frost
J. Wood
Robt. Worthington

Wit: Thos. Wood.
24 July 1740. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 131-37. Will of Alexander Spotswood of the County of Orange in Virginia, Esqr., being now going upon an expedition, dated 19 April 1740.

All my lands and hereditaments in Virginia to my eldest son John and the heirs males of his body and in default thereof to my son Robert. And together with and annexed to my said lands and to descend therewith all my working Negroes and slaves and their encrease which shall be employed or used in labour. My executors make a list or roll of all my said Negros with their names and ages and upon what lands or

plantations they were resident at the time of my decease and procure such list or roll to be recorded in the Court of the county where the lands lie.

Lest my lands herein bequeathed to my said sons should during the minority of either of them lie uncultivated or unimproved, my executors may let or lease any of my said lands (except my tract of land lying in Spotsylvania County containing by estimation fifteen thousand acres and commonly called the mine tract) for such terms for years or for life or lives as I myself have heretofore at any time leased any of my said lands in the Spotsylvania tract lying in Orange County.

Whereas the tract of land called the mine tract is by me set apart and appropriated for the carrying on an iron work and it is necessary that at least eighty able working slaves with twenty children belonging to them should be annexed to the said land and employed in the said work, in case there should not be so many thereon at the time of my decease, my exrs. do take from any other of my plantations so many slaves as shall make up that number. All and all the stocks of cattle, horses, hoggs and other living creatures, and all waggons, carts, and carriages whatsoever, with all implements of husbandry and handicraft and all household furniture upon the said mine tract shall continue thereon until my said son John shall attain unto the age of twenty one years.

Whereas some proposals have been by me made under my hand for the leasing for twenty one years of my said mine tract with the iron work thereon and a certain number of Negros, oxen and other cattle, with all the teams, tools and implements, I authorize my exrs. to lease the same upon the terms and conditions therein proposed.

To my son Robert the sum of three thousand pounds sterling at the age of twenty one and to be raised by mortgage or sale of my lands herein before devised (my mine tract excepted).

To my daughter Anna Catharina the sum of two thousand pounds sterling at her age of twenty one years or day of marriage.

To my daughter Dorothea the sum of two thousand pounds at her age of twenty one years or day of marriage.

In case my son John should die without issue whereby my said lands will come to my son Robert then the sums to be paid my said daughters shall be encreased in case they shall not then be married unto the sum of two thousand five hundred pounds sterling to each of them.

In case either of my said sons shall have a daughter or daughters such son to whom my estate shall come by this my will shall have full power notwithstanding the intail thereof to charge all or any part of my said lands with a portion or portions for such his daughter or daughters provided the same do not exceed the sum of one thousand pounds sterling in case of his having only one daughter and in case of two or more two thousand pounds sterling.

To my exrs. my two cabinets of plate weighing one thousand and eighty nine ounces and four penny weight of silver according to an inventory thereof taken and signed by me on 23 March 1731/2 upon this special trust and confidence that

they permit my beloved wife to have the use thereof during her natural life and after her decease to go to my son John, in case of his death to my son Robert, always desiring that the said cabinets of plate may descend and continue as heir-looms in my family.

To my cousin Elliott Benger and Dorothea his wife for an during their lives and the longer liver of them two hundred acres of land which he or she shall choose out of my tract of fifteen hundred acres at Masseponnix Creek, except Peter Johnson's tenement there.

To my cousin Elliott Benger during his natural life six plantation slaves to be chosen by my other two executors, and after his death to be equally divided between his present wife and surviving children.

To the said Elliott Benger twenty head of cattle.

To my Godson Alexr. Grame the son of my cousin John Grame of William and Mary Colledge the sum of twenty pounds.

To the Colledge of Wm. and Mary in Virginia all my books, maps and mathematical instruments as an acknowledgement of the courteous reception I have met with here in Brafferton House and of the Civilities I have received from the Masters of the said College.

The rest and residue of my estate to be equally divided between my beloved wife and my four children but in case any shall die before age of twenty one years, the part of such child as shall first due to my said cousin Elliott Benger for the use and benefit of him and his present wife and children.

My well beloved wife Buttler, Elliott Benger and Robert Rose of Essex County, Clerk, executors. My well beloved wife to be guardian of my children.

Wit: A. Spotswood
R. Francis
Ben Waller
Sterling Clack
E. Dorsey

25 Sept. 1740. Presented into Court by Mrs. Buttler Spotswood, Elliott Benger Gent. and the Reverend Robert Rose, Clerk, the executors. Proved by Benja. Waller, Sterling Clack and E. Dorsey, Gent.

Pages 137-38. Bond of Edward Spencer and Henry Downs, Gent., unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 100. 26 Sept. 1740. Edward Spencer is admr. of Simon Rayne.

Edward Spencer
Hen. Downs

Wit: Jonath. Gibson.
26 7br [Sept.] 1740. Ack. and admitted to record.

Page 139. John Largent. Additional inventory. Total valuation £ 4.18.10.

Wm. Vestal
Richd. Pendell

Signed by Cornelius (X) Cumminger, admr.
27 9br [Nov.] 1740. Returned into Court.

Page 139. John Largent. Estate account. Cornelius Comeger, admr. 27 9br [Nov.] 1740.

To cash paid to Doctr. White	£ 3.15.0

Signed by Cornelius (X) Comeger.
27 9br [Nov.] 1740. Returned into Court.

Page 139. Micah Shepherd. Inventory. Total valuation £ 10.4.9. 18 Aug. 1740.

Jno. Bruce
Hugh Parrel
Robt. Calvert

Account of sales:

Jno. Frost. To Common prayer book and book of notes	£ 0.13. 6
To a knife and other small articles	0. 1. 3
To a razor at	0. 3. 6
To a pare shoes at	0. 4. 0
To a saddle at	2. 0. 0
To a pare of sleeve buttons and a seal and 5/4 in cash in purse	0. 6. 9
Hugh Parrill. To sundry small articles at	0. 4. 2
To a gun at	2. 5. 0
Edward Sweetapple. To a pare of shears and odd things	0. 4. 0
Wm. Frost. To pockett compass	0. 4. 0
To a pare of boots	0.10. 0
To sundry rubbage	0. 1. 1
Isaac Parkins. To a razor	0. 3. 1
To a razor case	0. 1. 1½
To a remnant of cloth at	1. 2. 0
John Mead. To a taper bitt at	0. 0.10
Richd. Abrell to a shirt at	0. 7. 9
Wm. McMahon. To a hat at	0.11. 3
Joseph Stanley. To a pare of saddle baggs	0. 4. 1
John Littler. To an ax	0. 7.10
Jno. Neill. To a horse and bridle and bell	6. 5. 0
Jno. Downey. To wearing apparill	1. 3. 0

23 9br [Nov.] 1740. Returned into Court.

Pages 140-41. Bond of Jacob Stover, Henry Downs, Gent., and Jacob Castle unto Thomas Chew, Gent. For £ 500. 26 March 1741. Jacob Stover is admr. of Jacob Stover, dec.

Jacob Stover
Henry Downs
Jacab Castle

Wit: Catlett Conway, John Willis.
26 March 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 142-43. Will of Jeremiah Strother, being sick, dated 7 June 1740.

To my wife Elener Strother during her natural life or widowhood all my estate, but that my land be sold at the discretion of executors hereafter mentioned and that my wife have the use of the money during her life or widowhood.

After the death of my wife or day or marage my son

Christopher have and enjoy al my estate whatsoever.
To my sons James Strother, Wm. Strother, Francis Strother, Jeremiah Strother, Lawr. Strother, and my daughters Catherine and Elizabeth and each of them one shilling.
My two sons Jas. Strother and William Strother executors.
Wit: Jeremiah (J) Strother
John Catlett
Frans. Slaughter
Wm. Lightfoot
26 March 1741. Presented into Court by James Strother and William Strother, executors. Proved by John Catlett and Wm. Lightfoot.

Pages 143-44. Bond of Ann Lelburn, Just Hite, Thos. Postgate and John Smith unto Thomas Chew, justice. For £ 200.
26 March 1741. Ann Lilburn is admx. of John Lilber, dec.
Ann (X) Lilburn
Just Hite
Thos. Postgate
John Smith
Wit: E. Pendleton, Catlett Conway.
26 March 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Page 144. Will of Robert Watts, being sick and weak, undated.
To my loving brother Wm. Watts one hundred acres of land where he now dwells and two cows and calfs and a stear and my bead and furniture.
To my brother Thomas Watts all the remainder part of my land.
To my nephew Thomas Watts one yearling heffer.
To my loving brother Thomas Watts all my stock which is not already given.
My brothers Thos. and Wm. Watts executors.
Wit: Robert (R) Watts
Samuel Ball
Thomas Watts
William Watts
28 May 1741. Presented in Court by Thos. and Wm. Watts. Proved by Samuel Ball.

Pages 145-46. Bond of Thomas Watts, Wm. Watts, Samuel Ball and James Pollard unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 50.
28 May 1741. Thos. Watts and Wm. Watts are exors. of Robert Watts.
Thos. Watts
Wm. (X) Watts
Saml. Ball
James Pollard
28 May 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 146-47. Bond of Wm. McDonough and Zachary Taylor, Gent., unto Thos. Chew, justice. For £ 50. 28 May 1741. Wm. McDonough is admr. of Jeremiah Bryant.
Wm. McDonough
Zachary Taylor
28 May 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 147-48. Will of Samuel Givins, yeoman of Shenodor in the County of Orange and Colony of Virginia being weak of body, dated 22 Oct. 1740.

My dearly beloved wife Sarah Givins and my ouldest sun John Givins and my second sun Samell Givins executors.

To my dearly beloved wife Sarah Giving three hundred acres and fifty acres of land with my dwelling house and other houses convenant for the youce of my youngest sun William Givins to be given into the hands of my other two executors. If my wife maries then my sun William is to possess said three hundred and fifty acres. But if my wife does not marry shew [sic] is to enjoy it her lifetime.

To my ouldest son John Givins three hundred and fifty acres he having his choice next to his mother and his brother William Givins.

To my sun Samuell Givins three hundred and fifty acres of land.

To my sun James Givins three hundred and fifty acres of land.

And they must all live together as they now doe and bring up my young children and pay the land off the wholl head.

My trusty friend James Cathey to oversee my executors.

If it hapens that the child my wife now goes with proves a man child my foure meal heairs must purchase the child if it lives to come to age three hundred acres of land.

All my moveble estate to be equally divided to my wife and all my children.

Wit: Samuell Givins
James Cathey
Robt. Turk

28 May 1741. Proved by James Cathey and Robert Turk.

Pages 149-50. Bond of Jno. Givins, Saml. Givins and James Cathey unto Thos. Chew, justice. For £ 500. 28 May 1741. John and Samuel Givins are executors of Samuel Givins.

John Givins
Samuel Givins
James Cathey

28 May 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 150-51. Jacob Stover. Inventory. Made in obedience to order of 26 March 1741. Appraisers sworn before John Lewis, Gent. Total valuation £ 155.03.3 including two slaves valued at £ 43 and debt of John Barton of £ 3.7.8. A note of Jacob Die at £ 0.13.1½ is not included in the total.

[Names of the appraisers are not shown.]

28 May 1741. Returned by Jacob Stover, admr.

Page 152. 27 Feb. 1741. Ordered that the sheriff sell the estate of Francis Perry it being so small that none will administer thereon.

Sold at public auction by D. Byrne, sheriff, for £ 4.4.7.

Account of Capt. John Rucker against the estate:

By Porteus	£	2.6
By Jno. Ennis		10.0
By Mary Howard		6.0
By tobacco paid to Hen. Downs		10 lbs.

29 May 1741. Ordered that the sheriff pay what of the estate is in his hands to the said Rucker and that Rucker pay the clerk's and sheriff's fees.

Page 152. Goodrich Lightfoot. Additional inventory. 28 May 1741. Goodrich Lightfoot, admr.
29 May 1741. Presented in Court.

Pages 153-54. Bond of Martin Duett, Francis Mical and Mathew Stanton unto Thomas Chew, justice. For £ 50. 29 May 1741. Martin Duett is admr. of Charles Duett, dec.

Martin (X) Duett
Frans (F) Mical
Mathew Stanton

Wit: E. Pendleton.
29 May 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 154-55. Bond of Jacob Castle and Henry Downs, Gent., unto Thomas Chew, justice. For £ 100. 30 May 1741. Jacob Castle is guardian of Abraham Stover, orphan of Jacob Stover.

Jacob Castle
Hen. Howns

Wit: Catlett Conway, Jonathan Gibson.
30 May 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 155-56. Bond of Henry Huffman and George Oots unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 50. 25 June 1741. Henry Huffman is admr. of John Huffman.

Henry Huffman
George Oots

Wit: James Porteus.
25 June 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 156-57. Jeremiah Strother. Inventory. Made pursuant to order of 26 March 1741. Total valuation £ 50.11.6.

Frans. Slaughter
William Triplett
John Catlett

25 June 1741. Returned into Court.

Pages 157-58. Richard Watts. Inventory. Total valuation £ 28.16.11.

James Pollard
Christopher Zimmerman
William Nash

25 June 1741. Returned by Thomas and William Watts, exors.

Pages 158-59. Jeremiah Bryant. Inventory. Made pursuant to order of 28 May 1741. 23 June 1741. Total valuation £ 11.8.11.

W. Bell
Thos. Jones
Wm. Golsing

An inventory of Jeremiah Bryant's estate that could not be found: two bull yearlings that strayed away and one horse.
23 June 1741. William McDonaugh
25 June 1741. Returned by Wm. McDonaugh, admr.

Pages 159-60. John Lilburn. Inventory. Total valuation £ 46.7.6.
James McCracken
John Frost
Geo. Hobson

Signed by Just Hite
Account of the sale of the estate:

To a parcel of carpenter tools to Ann Lilburn	£ 0.13. 9
To a mall rings and wedges To ditto	0. 8. 9
To a small spinning wheel To ditto	0.10. 9
To 1 churn, 1 keal, 1 pale, 1 can, 1 old kagg, To Do	0. 7. 8
To some old pewter To Do	0. 5. 6
To some casks, tubs and barrels Do	0.10. 1
To an old linnen coat and a pare of cards To James McCracken	0. 4. 2
To some old books To Jno. Smith	1. 0. 0
To 2 old Books to Ann Lilburn	0. 1. 1
To a shear and colter to Do	0.10. 0
To 1 black cow and calf, 1 pide cow and calf	4.16. 0
To 1 cow to Wm. Roberts	2.18. 6
To a cow and calfe To Just Hite	3.16. 6
To 1 cow to Lewis Thomas	3. 3. 6
To two 2 year old stears to Jacob Worthington	6. 1. 0
To 2 three year old stears to Lewis Thomas	7. 8. 0
To 1 stear two years old to Danll. Burnett	2.17. 0
To 1 two year old stear to Evan Morgan	1.19. 6
To 2 stears to Jno. Trodon	2. 7. 0
To 2 two year old heffers to Wm. Roberts	2. 7. 8
To 1 yearling heffer to Ann Lilburn	6. 3. 6
To one mare and colt to Thomas Postgate	4. 7. 6
To a parcell of wooll to Just Hite	0.16. 6
To 3 sheep to Wm. Davice	1.10. 6
To 3 sheep,to Jno. Trodon	1.12. 6
To 3 sheep to Wm. Myers	1.11. 0
To 2 sheep to Wm. Davice	1. 3. 7
To 1 gun to Ann Lilburn	0.10. 4
To 1 gun to Jno. Morgain	0.12. 6
To 2 bells to Ann Lilburn	0. 5. 7
To 1 saddle to Do	0. 5. 6
To 7 hogs to ditto	1. 1. 0
To 2 colts to Do	2. 1. 0
To a plantation to Do	37. 0. 0

Signed by Just Hite
26 June 1741. Returned by Ann Lilburn, widow, and Just Hite, admrs.

Page 161. John Huffman. Inventory. 21 July 1741. Total valuation £ 2.3.6.

John Chisum
Charles Dewitt
Harmon Bach

23 July 1741. Returned by Henry Huffman, admr.

Page 162. Charles Dewit. Inventory. Made in obedience to order of 28 May 1741. Shown to appraisers by Martin Duett 11 July 1741. Total valuation £ 10.18.6.

Richd. Yarbrough
Thos. Tayler
Henry Sparks

23 July 1741. Returned by Martin Dewitt, admr.

Pages 162-63. Bond of Wm. Glover, Abel Pearson and Samuel Timmons unto Thos. Chew, Gent. For £ 1000. 28 July 1741. Wm. Glover is admr. of Edward Glover, dec.

Wm. Glover
Abel Pearson
Samll. Timmons

Wit: James Porteus, Catlett Conway.
28 July 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 164-65. Bond of Mary Curtis, Morgan Bryan and Jas. Bryan unto Thos. Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 500. 23 July 1741. Mary Curtis is admx. of Thomas Curtis.

Mary (X) Curtis
Morgan Bryan
Joseph (X) Bryan

Wit: Jonath. Gibson, Catlett Conway.
23 July 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 165-66. Bond of Wm. Crawford, Henry Downs and Edward Herndon unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 200. 24 July 1741. Wm. Crawford is admr. of James Wright, dec.

Wm. Crawford
Henry Downs
Edward Herndon

Wit: Catlett Conway, George Morton
23 July 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 167-68. Samll. Givins. Inventory. 17 July 1741. Total valuation £ 91.15.6.

John Pickins
John Smith
Wm. Thompson

27 Aug. 1741. Returned into Court.

Pages 168-69. Edward Glover of Opekon. Inventory. William Glover, administrator. Appraisers sworn before James Wood, Esq. Total valuation £ 111.16.3.

Just Hite
Geo. Hobson
Lewis Stiffey

27 Aug. 1741. Returned by Wm. Glover, admr.

Page 170. John Gasper Stover. Estate account.
To proving the will in Philadelphia ₤ 1.11. 6
To translating the will from German to English 1. 0. 0
John Gaspar Stover, admr.
27 Aug. 1741. Account allowed.

Pages 170-71. Bond of Wm. Duncan and John Newport unto Thos. Chew, Gent., justice. For ₤ 40. 24 Sept. 1741. Wm. Duncan is admr. of Jonathn. Warde, dec.
Wm. Duncan
Jno. Newport
Wit: Catlett Conway.
24 7ber [Sept.] 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Page 172. Will of Markham Mackenzie of Orange County in the Colony of Virginia, being very ill and weak in body, dated 1 May 1741.
Unto Jno. and Wm. Roberts the two sons of Jno. and Eliza. Roberts of the county aforesaid, all my lands and plantation in the said county of Orange to be equally divided.
The rest and residue of my estate unto the abovesaid Jno. Roberts Senior.
John Roberts Senior, executor.
Wit: Markham Mckenzie
Michael Slown
Elizabeth (O) Burk
Thos. Keel
24 7ber [Sept.] 1741. Proved by Michael Slown and Elizabeth Burk.

Page 173. Bond of John Roberts, Wm. Russell and Francis Kerkly unto Thos. Chew, Gent. For ₤ 100. 24 7ber [Sept.] 1741. Jno. Roberts is exor. of Malcome Mckenzie.
John Roberts
Wm. Russell
Frans. (X) Kerkly
24 7ber [Sept.] 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 174-75. Bond of Wm. Thompson and John Lewis, Gent., unto Thos. Chew, Gent., justice. For ₤ 200. 25 7ber [Sept.] 1741. Wm. Thompson is admr. of John Campbell, dec.
Wm. Thomson
John Lewis
Wit: E. Pendleton.
25 Sept. 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 175-76. Markom Mckenzie. Inventory. 12 Oct. 1741. Made in obedience to order of 24 Sept. 1741. Total valuation ₤ 41.4.9.
Anthony Scott
John Burk
Nathanoll Hillin
John Roberts, exor.
22 Oct. 1741. Returned into Court.

Page 176. Jonathan Ward. Inventory. Made in obedience to order of 24 Sept. 1741. Total valuation £ 7.2.0.

Frans. (F) Browning
Wm. (W) Smith
John Warshburn

William Duncan, admr.
22 8ber [Oct.] 1741. Returned into Court.

Page 177. Will of Thomas Stanton being now sick and weak, dated 2 Oct. 1741.

My trusty friends George Whitley and Henry Field executors.

To my son Thos. Stanton my still and materials thereto belonging after my decease as also the large Bible.

To my son Wm. Stanton the grist mill with the plantation I now live on and all the land thereto belonging.

To my daughter Frances Delany the half of four hundred acres on the south side of Stanton's River.

To my daughter Sarah Stanton the other half of the said four hundred acres.

To my daughter Mary Stanton two hundred acres part of four hundred acres joining Francis Kirtley, William Eddins, &c.

To my daughter Jean Stanton two hundred acres of land it being the upper part whereon George Simmons now lives including the said Simmons' plantation.

To my daughter Elizabeth Stanton two hundred acres of land lying on the south side of Stanton's River, commonly known by the name of Guy Meeks.

To my son Wm. Stanton the remainder part lying on the north side being two hundred acres.

To my son Wm. Stanton the following Negros, vizt. Adam, Judy, Sam and Winnie, Ned and Will.

To my daughter Frances Delany molatto Harry as also my seal skin trunk.

Wit:
George Home
Abraham Pearce
Thos. Stanton, Junr.

Thomas (T) Stanton

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[No probate entry]

Page 178. Bond of Henry Field, Robert Slaughter and Goodrich Lightfoot, Gent., unto Thos. Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 1000. 22 Oct. 1741. Henry Field is executor of Thos. Stanton.

Henry Field
Robert Slaughter
Gr. Lightfoot

Wit: Jonath. Gibson
22 Oct. 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 179-80. Bond of Ruben Allen, Thos. Moore and Benja. Allen unto Thos. Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 200. 26 Nov. 1741. Ruben Allen is admr. of Ruben Allen, dec.

Ruben (X) Allen
Thos. Moor
Benja. (X) Allen

26 Nov. 1741. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 180-81. John Campbell. Inventory. 14 Nov. 1741. Total valuation £ 104.11.8.

James Caldwall
Wm. Nutt
Wm. Thomson

Signed by Wm. Thomson
26 Nov. 1741. Returned by the administrator.

Pages 181-86. Maj. Gen. Spotswood. Inventory. 26 Jan. 1741/2. Total valuation £ 1139.17.10.

Includes a coach and harness for six horses, a chariot, a chaise, 17 slaves valued at £ 360, and cattle at Cowslip Quarter, Racoon Quarter, Germanna, River Quarter, Bridge Quarter, Massaponax and Mill Quarter.

Appraisers sworn before Robert Slaughter, Gent., pursuant to order of 27 Sept. 1740.

John Finleson
Samuel Ball
W. Russell

Executors: Butler Spotswood, Elliot Benger.
28 Jan. 1741 [1742]. Returned by Elliot Benger, Gent.

Page 187. Thomas Stanton. Assignment of widow's dower pursuant to order of 26 Nov. 1741. 2 Dec. 1741.

Jno. Finleson
Wm. Triplett
Jno. Catlett

28 Jan. 1741 [1742]. The separation of Sarah Stanton's part of the estate of Thos. Stanton, dec., by order of Court and consent of Henry Field, Gent., executor, presented into Court.

Page 188. James Right (Wright). Inventory. William Crawford administrator. Appraisers sworn 21 Aug. 1741. Total valuation £ 32.4.0.

Chr. Hoomes
Saml. Parks
John Latham

24 Sept. 1741. Returned by William Crawford, Admr.

Pages 189-90. Bond of Eliza Morphey, Nathaniel Hedgman and Francis Browning unto Thos. Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 100. 28 Jan. 1741 [1742]. Eliza Morphey is admx. of Miles Morphey, dec.

Elizabeth (X) Morphey
Nathl. Hedgman
Frans. (X) Browning

Wit: John Quin.
28 Jan. 1741 [1742]. Ack. and admitted to record.

Pages 190-91. Thomas Curtiss. Inventory. Made pursuant to order of 23 July 1741. 20 Feb. 1741/2. Total valuation £ 100.18.0.

Morgan an [Morgan Morgan]
Richd. Presson [Beson?]
Jno. Van Meter

25 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Returned by Morgan Bryan.

Pages 191-92. Will of Mary Curtiss of Opekin in Orange County and Collony of Virginia being very sick and weak in body, dated 9 Jan. 1741.

To my Honrd. mother Martha Bryan my riding horse and saddle.

To my well beloved daughter Mary Curtiss all the rest of my stock together with all and singular my houshold goods. In case she should die without issue equally divided amongst my beloved brethren Joseph, Samuell, Morgan, John, William, James and Thomas Bryan and my beloved sister Ellinor Linvill.

My Honrd. father Morgan Bryan and my beloved brother Joseph Bryan executors.

Wit: Mary (M C) Curtiss
Edward Hughes
Peter Van Bebber
Nicholas (N) Boitter

25 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Presented in Court by Morgan Bryan and Joseph Bryan. Proved by Edwd. Hughes and Nicholas Boitter.

Pages 192-93. Bond of Morgan Bryan, Joseph Bryan, Morgan Morgan and Samuell Britton unto Thos. Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 1000. 25 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Morgan Bryan and Joseph Bryan are exors. of Mary Curtiss.

Morgan Bryan
Jos. (X) Bryan
Morgan an
Samll. Brittan

Wit: Catlett Conway.
25 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Ack. and admitted to record.

Page 194. Jonathan Ward. Sale of estate. William Duncan, admr. 28 Sept. 1741.

To David Kinkead sunderes	£ 2. 5.7½
Samuel Fargeson sunderes	16.10
John Cooper	6. 4
Cornelius Mitchell	13.10
Danll. Brown Junr.	4. 4. -

Signed by Wm. Duncan.
25 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Returned by Wm. Duncan, admr.

Pages 194-95. Bond of Jno. Michael Stolts, Henry Downs and Thomas Wood unto Thos. Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 150. 25 Feb. 1741 [1742]. John Michael Stolts is admr. of John Michael Stolts, dec.

John Michael (X) Stolts
Henry Downs
Thomas (X) Wood

Wit: Catlett Conway
25 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Acknowledged.

Page 196. Bond of Henry Field, Benja. Roberts and Jno. Roberts unto Thomas Chew, justice. For £ 300. 25 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Henry Field is guardian of Sarah, Wm. and Jane Stanton, orphans of Thos. Stanton, dec.

Henry Field
Benja. Roberts
Jno. (J) Roberts

Wit: Catlett Conway.
25 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Acknowledged.

Page 196a [197]. Bond of Thomas Stanton, Thomas Rucker and Jno. Delany unto Thos. Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 200. 25 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Thomas Stanton is guardian of Mary Stanton, orphan of Thos. Stanton, dec.

Thos. Stanton
Thos. Rucker
John Delaney

Wit: Catlett Conway.
25 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Acknowledged.

Page 199. Bond of David Kinkead, John Roberts and Thomas Stanton unto Thomas Chew, Robert Slaughter, Robert Green, Wm. Russell and Morgan Morgan, Gent., justices. For £ 500. 26 Feb. 1741 [1742].

David Kinkead is appointed to collect, receive and take care of the estate of John Hobson, dec., until a will is produced or letters of administration granted.

David Kinkead
John Roberts
Thomas Stanton

Wit: E. Pendleton, Catlett Conway.
26 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Acknowledged.

Pages 200-02. James Right. Account of estate as sold at outcry. 2 Sept. 1741.

To Eleanor Right	
2 cows and calves	
2 beds and a bed sted and bed cloaths and hide	
1 stock of beevs	
1 grinstone and a piggin	£ 9.14. 0
To Mr. Wm. Russell	
19 head of sheep	5.16. 0
To Wm. Ridings	
1 barren cow and 12 hogs	4. 5. 6
To Charles Dewitt	
2 stears, 1 broad ax, 1 spit	
2 pot hooks, 1 hide and 1 frying pan	4. 3. 7
To Jno. Roberts	
1 bull	1. 8. 1
To Richd. Bridges	
1 great pot and hooks, an old hackle, some stone and earthen ware, one pr. Heaters	1. 2. 0
To Francis Browning	
1 cloaths box, 1 pr. fire tongs, 1 set of wedges, 1 froe and an old spinning wheel	1. 1. 6
To Miles Murfey	
7 old hoes and a parcel of old iron and tray	19. 6
To Charles Floyd	
1 looking glass and a parcel of old pewter	9. 1

To Thomas Corbin
1 grinstone and 1 piggin ℔ 5. 0
To Samuel Parks
1 plow hoe and old hilling hoe 5. 0
To Wm. Edgar
Pr. wool cards, 1 horse bell, a collar and hame and trace 6. 2
To Wm. Crawford
1 pale 4. 0
To Christopher Hoomes 1 tobo. hhd.
1 old sadle 3. 0
To Richard Bridges 1 pouder tub and
1 mobey tub 5. 7
To Collo. Wm. Beverley 1 mare and colt 1.13. 2

Bond of James Wright of Ursulana in the County of Orange, planter, to Wm. Beverley of Essex County, Gent., for ℔ 40. 28 July 1740. To secure payment of ℔ 12.3.4 and 1220 lbs. tobacco before 1 April next.

James (J) Wright

Wit: Charles Dewitt, Wm. Crawford

Account of James Wright to Wm. Beverley. Sworn to by William Beverley and William Crawford 28 Sept. 1741 before Robt. Green and Wm. Russell.

28 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Returned into Court.

Pages 202-05. Jacob Stover. Inventory and sale.

Sold to Jacob Stover [many items of personal property, farm animals and implements]	℔ 51.15. -
Henry Doley one spade	5. 6
Jno. Givens one spade	5. -
Jacob Stover one spade	3. -
Capt. Patten one bay mair and cold	1.13. -
Capt. Patten one mair and colt	3. 7. -
Lodowick Francisco one bay mair	2. 2. -
Henry Duly one year old horse colt	1.10. -
Henry Duly one sorrel mair	2. 9. -
Lodowick Francisco one bay mair	5.10. 6
Lodowick Francisco one sorrel cold	2. 2. -
Lodowick Francisco one bay mair	7.10. -
James Rutlege one stallion	7.15. -
Samuel Gay one mair and colt	2. 6. 6
Capt. Patten one sorrel mair	5. 6. -
John Bungardner one sorel mair and colt	10.15. -
Henry Duly one bay mair and yearling	1.12. 6
David Logan one cow and calf	1.17. -
Lodowick Francisco one cow	2.12. -
James Rutlege four steers and cow	1. -. -
William Tamson two bulls	1.10. -
Phillip Lung two heifers	3. -. 6
Jacob Castle one heifer	-.12. -
Henry Sparks one hide	4. 6
Jacob Castle one sorel mair	3.10. -
Hugh Cambell one bull	16. 0
Capt. Downs to a Negro wench	25.10..-
Jacob Castle to a Negro wench	34. 5. -

Wm. Williams to millstones and irons and corn £ 9. -. -
26 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Returned by Jacob Stover, admr.

Pages 205-06. Bond of George Whitley, Henry Field, Gent., and Francis Kirtley unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 100. 25 March 1742. Geo. Whitley is guardian of Elizabeth Stanton, orphan of Thomas Stanton, dec.

Geo. (X) Whittley
Henry Field
Francis Kirtley

Wit: Catlett Conway.
25 March 1742. Acknowledged.

Pages 206-07. Elizabeth Rosser widow of Daniel Rosser, dec., being sick and weake did on 2 Dec. declare that if she dyed her will and desire was that Jno. Rucker take possession of all her goods and chattles, tobo. and corn, stock, etc., and that he pay himself and if any part of her estate remain he pay her other creditors so far as the affects and if more then paid her debts it was to be for the use of her children.

7 Dec. 1741. Jno. Walker, Isbell Walker and Constant Reyan made oath to the above words declared by Elizabeth Rosser who departed this life on Fryday the fourth day of this instant. Thos. Chew

25 March 1742. Presented into Court by Jno. Rucker, Gent.

Pages 207-08. Will of Elisha Perkins of Orange County and Colloney of Virginia, yeoman, being very sick and weak of body, dated 10 Sept. 1741.

To my beloved son Jno. Perkins four hundred acres of entry land lying and being in this county with my plantation called the Sevan Pins in said county containing one hundred and fifty acres which plantation one George Williams of Prince George's County and Provence of Maryland, blacksmith, is obliged to make a firm title to.

To my son Elisha Perkins my home manner plantation.

To my loving friend Mary Swearingen daughter to Van Swearingen one pacing stone coult.

The rest, residue and remainder of my goods and chattels equally divided betwixt my six children (vizt) Ute, Jno., Elisha, Eliza, Phillis and Margret.

To my son Joshua Perkins the sum of one shilling.

Christopher Holms of Orange County, Gent., executor.

Peter Van Bebber Elisha Perkins
Jno. Williams
Charles Hyatt

27 May 1742. Proved by Peter Van Bebber. Christopher Homes refused to take upon him the burden of the executorship. The widow and relict of the said Elisha Perkins refuseing to stand and abide by the said will ,insisted on and claimed her thirds at law. Elizabeth Perkins the daughter of the said deceased prayed that admon. with the will annexed might be granted her.

Pages 209-10. Bond of Eliza. Perkins, Richd. Morgan and Wm. Roberts unto Robert Eastham, Morgan Morgan, George Taylor and James Wood, Gent., justices. For £ 100. 27 May 1742. Eliza Perkins is admx. with the will annexed of Elisha Perkins.

Eliza (X) Perkins
Richd. Morgan
William Roberts

Wit: John Willis.
27 May 1742. Acknowledged.

Pages 210-12. Samuel Worthington. Sail of estate made 14 Aug. 1739.

Sarah Worthington. To 2 cowes and calves	£	5. 5. -
To 1 mare		2.10. 6
Henry Hunt To 1 horse		6. -. -
Samll. Brittan To 1 horse		3.
Lewis Thomas To 1 cow and calf		3.12. -
Jacob Worthington To 1 cow		2.19. -
To Do		1. -. 6
Jesper Terry To 1 cow and calf		3.14. -
Batt Matthews To 1 cow and calf		2. 5. -
Henry Robinson To 1 mare		4. 9. -
Danll. Burnett 1 cow		2.18. -
Sarah Worthington		
To a feather bed and furniture and side saddle		3.10. 6
To a pail, a tub and pair of cards		5. 6
To a old pot and paun		5. -
Robt. Worthington		
To a waggon and furniture		17. -. -
To a old saddle, grinestone and hatt		1. 1. -
To a hook, cheasel and gimblett		3. -
To a gunn and ax		10. 6
To one gunn more		10. -
To 3 baggs and a spinning wheal		10. -
To a sizeth and how		4. 6
To a earthen pott and bason		6. -
To a old chest and box		8. -
To a old coat and two bells		8. -
Jacob Worthington		
To a sizeth, a pair of pinchers and shears		10. 2
To a spinning wheal		17. 2
To a coat, west and britches		1.17. 6
George Person		
To a gunn, grubbing how and bagg		2. 1. -
Saml. Brittan		
To a old saddle and hook		15. 8
To 2 baggs and weading how		13. 6
To a bell and basket		10. 1
Pall Williams		
To a hook, cheasel and file		4. 6
Jno. Maccormack To a hook		3. -
Jno. Littler To a ads, two oagers and squair		11. 2
Jas. McCraken To a pair of fire toungs and oager		5.7½
Henry Robinson To a ax		6. -
Abel Pearson To a old feather bed and furniture		5. 4. -
To a broad ax		4. 6

Lewis Thomas
To a pair of plow irons £ 1.11. 6
To a pair of iron traces and haims 2. 1. 6
Samll. Walker To a pair of stilyards 1. 4. -
Jno. Hutson To a earthen jouge 3. -
Jno. Tradan To collors, haims and iron traces 2. 8
Henry Hunt To a old barrell 1.10
Richd. Morgan To a how 2. 0
Wm. Davis
To a handsaw 1. 2
Signed by Sarah Worthington, admx.
28 May 1742. Returned by Sarah Worthington, admx.

Pages 212-13. Mary Curtiss. Inventory. Made pursuant to order of 24 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Total valuation £ 120.1.6½.
Jno. Van Meter
Richd. Beeson
Wm. Johnson
Morgan Bryan and Jos. (X) Bryan, exors.
27 May 1742. Returned by Morgan Bryan and Jos. Bryan, executors.

Pages 213-17. Thomas Stanton. Inventory. 1741. Made in obedience to order of 22 Oct. 1741. Appraisers sworn before Henry Field, Gent. Total valuation [£ 440.15.1½] including eight slaves valued at £ 207 and a servant boy named James valued at £ 7.10.0.
Robt. Green
Jno. Finleson
Wm. Triplett
27 May 1742. Returned by Henry Field, exor.

Page 217. John Hobson. Inventory. 20 March 1741 [1742]. Presented to appraisers by David Kinkead. Total valuation £ 104.3.6 including six Negro slaves valued at £ 87.10.0.
James Pendleton
Philip Clayton
James Tutt
27 May 1742. Returned by David Kinkead, admr.

Page 218. Miles Murfye. Inventory. Exhibited to appraisers by Eliza Murfye, administratrix, 13 March 1741 [1742]. Total valuation £ 5.19.9.
Chr. Hoomes
Samuel Parks
John Latham
Estate account. Signed by Eliza Murfye.
27 May 1742. Inventory and account returned.

Pages 219-21. Ruben Allen. Inventory. 2 Feb. 1741 [1742]. Total valuation £ 160.7.6.
Peter Shell
William White
Abraham (A) Colleet
Signed by Reuben Allen, admr.
27 May 1742. Returned by Reuben Allen, admr.

Pages 222-25. Edward Glover. Sale of estate by public vendue.
21 Sept. 1742.

William Glover To a bay mare, bell and bell collar £	1. 3. 6
William Glover To a bay horse, bell and bell collar	4. -. 6
Isaac Malon To a bay stallion	1. 4. -
William Glover To three cows and a calf	5.13. -
Isaac Parkins To a cow and calf	2. 2. -
Arthur Barrett To a brown cow and calf	2. 1. -
William Glover To a white steer	-.16. -
Arthur Barrett To a brindle bull	13. 6
William Glover To a white cow	1.10. 6
Wm. Glover To waggon and gears	6. 3. -
James Wood To a hamer	2. -
William Glover To a hammer	1. 1
William Hogg To a pr. of pinchers	3. -
George Hollingsworth To a saddler's hammer	1. 1
Wm. Glover To a mall and wedges	3. 1
Arthur Barrett To a mall and wedges	5. -
James Wood To a drawing knife	2. 6
Athur Barrett To a wedge	3. -
Jno. Frost To a spoke shave	1. -
Jno. Littler To a pitching ax	2. 1
Wm. Glover To two pitching axes	4. -
Wm. Hogg To a plain	2. -
William Glover To three quarter auger	1. -
Wm. Glover to a small plain at	1.17.
Isaac Parkins To an adds at	2. 2
Wm. Glover to a grubing how at	1. 7.
Wm. Glover To two weeding hows at	2. -
Wm. Hogg To a spade at	5.11
Jno. Frost To a howell at	-.11
Richd. Hilland To a sythe at	2.10
Wm. Glover To a last at	.3¼
Wm. Glover To plow irons and cleveses at	5. 6
Evin Thomas To 5 lasts at	2. 7
John Littler To a trowel at	1.10
Wm. Glover To old iron at	2. 8
Wm. Glover To a old halpaim how at	1. -
Benja. Cartar To 20 horse shoes at	4. 6
Geo. Hobson To old kinks at	1. 6
John Littler To old iron and 1 lb. and 10 oz. steel at	5. 9
Wm. Glover To a pair of stilyards at	6. -
Wm. Glover To scales and weights at	4. -
Wm. Glover To a chest, £ 3.0 To a remnant of girth webb	4. 6
George Hollingsworth To 12 pair of bridle bitts at	11. 4
William Glover To 4 books at	4. 2
Wm. Glover To 4 paid of bitts at	3. 1
George Hollingsworth To a pair of stirup irons	2. -
Arthur Barrett To 8 dozn. and 4 buckles at	4. 6
John Littler To girth webb at	6. 8
Arther Barrett To sundry ware at	1. 5
Wm. Glover To a calf skin 9 d. ditto to 4 calves skins	7. 9
Wm. Glover To a calf skin at	2. 6
Arther Barrett To three saddle trees at	13. -

Isaac Parkins To old cards at	2. 6
William Glover To 176 lb. of nails at 7d. per lb.	5.12. -
Arther Barrett To saddle ware at	1. 8. 1
Wm. Glover To two baggs and barley at	5. 6
Jno. Frost To crocus bagg at	2.10
Arther Barrett To a bagg at	3. 4
Benja. Cartar To an old bagg at	1. 9
Wm. Vance To an old bagg at	1. 7
Jno. Littler To an old bagg at	1. 6
Arther Barrett To 2 old baggs at	2. 2
Ditto Arthur To one old bagg	1. 2
Thos. Doster To 1 crocus bagg or sack at	2. 1
Wm. McMahon To a tin pott at	1. 6
Joseph Collvill To a tin pott at	1. 7
John Littler To one pint cup at	1. 3
Ditto John To a funnel at	1. 8
William Glover To a pewter pott at	1. 4
George Hobson To a brass kettle at	4. 9
Benja. Cartar To a sled at	3. 4
Wm. McMahon To one candle stick and a buckett at	1.10
John Frost To a gridiron at	2.10
William Glover To one great coat, one little coat and other apparel	4. -. 6
Alexr. Rosse To one pair of taylor shears at	2. 3
William Taylor To pair of small pincers at	1. 2
Wm. Glover To two old tubs at	2. -
James Oneill To 6 trenchers and one old bowl at	1. 6
Wm. Glover To 6 trenchers at	-. 8
James Oneil To one iron ladle at	3. 1
Wm. Glover	. 7
Ditto William To 5 blanketts, 1 old rug, 2 old sheets and 2 waggon cloths	1.11. -
Wm. Glover To 2 pieces and a remnant of Douglass at	4. 5. -
Do Wm. To 2 pie ces of gustin at	1.16. -
Do Wm. To 2 remanant of callico at	1. 5. -
Do Wm. To silk laces at	5. 6
Do Wm. To sowing silk at	1. 2. -
Do Wm. To a remnant of carsey at	3. 2
Do Wm. To 7 pieces of tape and a remnant of Do at	7. 6
Do Wm. To pins and needles at	8. -
Do Wm. To mohair and buttons at	5. 1
Do Wm. To a large parcel of thread and brass buttons at	15. 6
Do Wm. To some powder and lead at	1. -. 2
Do Wm. To 11 gimbletts and some knitting needles at	5. 6
Do Wm. To an old saddle and bridle at	6. 6
Do Wm. To one dozn. of buckles at	1. 3
Do Wm. To 2 potts, frying pan and potrackon and tongs at	1.11. -
Do Wm. To 4 hats at	18. -
Do Wm. To 9 lb. of beaver and other fur at	1.15. -
Do Wm. To 409 lb. of grey deer skins at 9½ d. per lb.	16. 3.9½
Do Wm. To three small kettles and one old warming pan	15. 2

Do To 1 feather bed, bolster and case, 3 blanketts and 2 sheets 3. 5. -
Do Wm. To 30 lb. of drest leather at 3 s. per lb. 4.10. -
Wm. Colvin To one old chest and one old spade at 3. 1
Charles Barne To a hand saw 8. -
To money that Edwd. Glover had by him at the time of his death 27.10.9 3/4
27 May 1742. Returned by William Glover, admr.

Pages 226-27. Bond of Samuel Holleday, Andrew Campbell and Robert Worthington unto Thos. Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 200. 22 July 1742. Samuel Holleday is admr. of Wm. Holleday.

Samuel Holleday
Andrew Campbell
Robt. Worthington

Wit: Catlett Conway.
22 July 1742. Acknowledged.

Pages 227-29. Bond of Jno. Rucker and George Taylor, Gent., unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 100. 23 July 1742. John Rucker, Gent., is admr. of Elizabeth Rawsor, dec. [in index as Rauson].

John Rucker
Geo. Taylor

Wit: Catlett Conway
23 July 1742. Acknowledged.

Pages 229-30. Bond of Barbara Amberger and Xstopher Zimmerman unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 200. 23 July 1742. Barbara Ambarger is admx. of Conrad Ambarger, dec.

Barbara (X) Ambarger
Xstopher Zemerman

Wit: James Porteus.
23 July 1742. Acknowledged.

Pages 231-32. Bond of David Kinkead, Robert Worthington and Andrew Campbell unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 400. 23 July 1742. David Kinkead is admr. of John Hobson, dec.

David Kinkead
Robt. Worthington
Andrew Campbell

Wit: Catlett Conway.
23 July 1742. Acknowledged.

Pages 232-33. Conrat Amburger. Inventory. Total valuation £ 34.5.-.

Matt Staunton
Francis Mickele
Timothy Holdway

26 Aug. 1742. Returned into Court.

Pages 234-35. William Hollyday. Inventory. 11 Aug. 1742. Total valuation £ 60.16.2.

Walter Holmes oweth in Maryland money £ 0.11. -
Peter Domas oweth in Maryland money 7. 6
Patrick Rayley oweth in Maryland money 5. 5

Morgan an [Morgan Morgan]
Geo. Hobson
John Hamton

23 Sept. 1742. Returned into Court.

Page 236. Bond of Culvert Anderson, Abraham Yates and John Smith unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 200. 24 Sept. 1742. Culvert Anderson is guardian of James Holliday and Elizth. Holliday, orphans of William Holliday, dec.

Colbart Anderson
Abrm. Yeates
John Smith

Wit: James Porteus.
24 Sept. 1742. Acknowledged.

Pages 237-38. John Gasper Stover. Estate account, with Col. Henry Willis. May 1739.

Balance divided between Mary Magdalene Stover widow, John Gaspar Stover, exr., Eliza. Catherine Countz, Philip Stover and [ ] Stover £ 158.13.8 3/4.

Signed by John Grymes, exr. of Henry Willis
John Caspar Stover execr. to my father

Wit: Jonath. Gibson, James Porteus.
25 Nov. 1742. Returned into Court.

Pages 238-39. Bond of Esther Blackburn, Wm. Blackburn and Robt. Worthington unto Thomas Chew, justice. For £ 100. 25 Nov. 1742. Esther Blackburn is admx. of Arthur Blackburn.

Esther Blackburn
Wm. (X) Blackburn
R. Worthington

Wit: James Porteus.
25 Nov. 1742. Acknowledged.

Pages 239-45. Thomas Stanton. Sale of the personal estate, on 2 Dec., 3 Dec., 24 Dec., 30 Dec. [1741], 1 Jan., 19 April 1742.

To Mr. Richd. Bryan one barren cow	£	1.	18.	-
To Mr. Henry Field one steer		1.	18.	-
To Mr. Wm. Picket one steere		2.	2.	6
To Captn. Tindlevon one steere		1.	19.	-
To John Delaney one steere		1.	15.	3
To Thoms. Stanton one cow and calf		1.	17.	-
To Garret Banks one cow and calf		1.	12.	-
To Mr. Pike 3 cows and calves		5.	-.	-
To Anthony Sculthorp 1 black horse		4.	1.	-
To Mr. Geo. Hoare [Home?] 5 barrells corn at 9/		2.	5.	-
To Mr. Wm. Russell 10 bals. Do at 8/6		4.	5.	-
To Thoms. Scott 1½ bushell Indian pease		-.	3.	10½
To Wm. Abbit 1 grindstone			7.	-
To Mr. Kinner 2 wheat scifters			3.	4
To Geo. Roberts 15 sheep at 6/10 per head		5.	2.	6
To Mr. Whitley 2 brass laddles and cullender			4.	3
To John Bond 60 gals. syder		1.	5.	0
To John Newport 60 gals Do		1.	1.	3

To Mr. Simon Miller 3 hones	6. 8
To Mr. Blackwell one raw hide	3. 7
To Capt. Jones 15 lb. of old brass	13. 4
To Ben. Roberts 2 palls, a piggin and a tubb	6. -
To Mr. Zimmerman a bowell	4. -
To Jos. James a stone jugg	4. -
To John Morphis 1 old saddle	15. 1
To George Holme 2 sides of tanned leather	10.11
To Edward Twentyman 2 sides of tanned leather	10. 1
To Robert Duncan Junr. one table and forme	15. -
To John James 5 bushels beans	8. 4
To Geo. Doggit 1 bell and strap	2. 4
To Roger Abbit 8 lct. of candlewick	2. 9
To John Samon one pair leather breeches	10. -
To Edward Abbit 5½ years Kersy	16.11½
To Mr. Edward Herondon 7 yds. German serge	2. 2. 7
To James McKinny 4½ yds. of garlin	7. 1
To Mr. John Sutton a dimitty jacket and breeches	10. 9
To Frans. Jackson a parcel of lumber in the closet	3. 4
To John Asher one bed and furniture in the room	4. 4. 6
To Thoms. Stanton one bed and furniture in the little room	4.17. -
To Mr. Field the great bed and furniture in the hall	10. -. -
To Mr. Peter Russell a breast plate	. 7
To John Roberts 3 old spurs	.11
To Jos. Rosson 4 M 8 lb. nails	1. -. -
To Frans. Kertly 1 spindle and 1 wimble	1. 3

[The length of this sale account has precluded the inclusion of more than one entry for each purchaser.]

26 Nov. 1742. Returned by Henry Field, Gent., executor.

Pages 245-46. Elisha Perkins. Inventory. 14 July 1742.
To 1 servant man named George Steel £ 5. -. -
Total valuation £ 77.4.6.

Richd. Morgan
Wam. Roberts
Joseph Baggs

Signed by Eliza (X) Perkins, admx.
26 Nov. 1742. Returned by Eliza Perkins.

Page 247. Wm. McDonogh, exr. of Jeremiah Bryan, dec., has found a bull, part of the deceased's estate, which we value to 15 sh. 24 Nov. 1742.

Wm. (W) Goulden
Wm. Bell

26 Nov. 1742. Returned by Wm. McDonogh, admr.

Pages 247-48. Eliza Rossor. Inventory. Made 18 Sept. 1742 pursuant to order of 23 July 1742. Total valuation £ 15.17.-¼.

Thoms. Chew
Geo. Taylor
Wm. Bell

26 Nov. 1742. Returned by George Taylor, Gent., one of the appraisers.

Pages 248-49. Will of John Rucker of Saint Mark's Parish in the County of Orange, planter, being weak in body, dated 11 Jan. 1742 [1743].

To my well beloved wife Susanah Rucker four Negros namely Bristol, Tony, Doll and Sue, and one third part of my houshold furniture and stock, horses excepted, one horse named Roger. The four mentioned Negroes to remain my wife's no longer than her widowhood, after to be sold and divided as the rest of my estate.

To my son Peter Rucker one black horse called Jockey and his choice of my guns.

To my son John Rucker one grey horse called Oglesby and a run the next choice after his brother.

To Thomas Wright Belfield one lot in Fredgburg [Fredericksburg] No. 5.

The one half of my land on the branches of James's River may be sold; likewise my waggon and five horses and horse kinds to pay my debts. I likewise leave my dwelling house and land thereunto adjoining to be sold if my debts can't be complied with; if they can the dwelling house and land to remain my wife's dureing her widowhood. If she marrys to be sold by way of auction.

To my well beloved sons Peter Rucker, John Rucker, Ambrose Rucker, Benja. Rucker, Reuben Rucker, Isaac Rucker, Anthony Rucker half the land I hold on the branches of James River to be equally divided.

The rest of my estate I desire may be equally divided among my beloved children as follows Peter Rucker, John Rucker, Sarah Rucker, Winniford Rucker, Ambrose Rucker, Benja. Rucker, Reuben Rucker, Isaac Rucker, Anthony Rucker, Mildred Rucker, Pheby Rucker.

My daughter Margaret Smith one shilling sterling.

My beloved wife Susanah Rucker executrix and my beloved son Peter Rucker and my beloved friend George Taylor executors.

Wit: John Rucker
Robt. Seayrs
Joseph Hawkins
Richd. Cross

28 Jan. 1742 [1743]. Presented in Court by Susanah Rucker and Peter Rucker. Proved by Robert Seayres and Richd. Cross.

Pages 250-51. Bond of Susanah Rucker, Peter Rucker, Anthony Head, Michael Holt and James Picket unto Thomas Chew, Gent., first justice. For £ 1000. 28 Jan. 1742. Susanah and Peter Rucker are executors of John Rucker.

Susanah (X) Rucker
Peter Rucker
Anthony (A) Head
Michael Holt
James Picket

Wit: James Porteus.

28 Jan. 1742. Returned by Susanah Rucker and Peter Rucker. Acknowledged. [1743]

Pages 251-52. Bond of Rebecca Chissum, William White, James Taylor White to Thos. Chew, justice. For £ 100. 24 Feb. 1742. Rebecca Chissum is admx. of John Chissum, dec.

Rebecca (X) Chissum
William White
James (J) Taylor White

Wit: Jonath. Gibson.
24 Feb. 1742. Acknowledged. [1743]

Pages 253-54. Bond of Isaac Smith, Alexr. Thompson and Thomas Downer unto Thomas Chew, justice. For £ 50. 24 Feb. 1742. Isaac Smith is admr. of James Thurston.

Isaac Smith
Alexander Thompson
Thomas Downer

24 Feb. 1742. Acknowledged. [1743]

Pages 254-55. Bond of Magdalene McDowell, Richd. Wood and James McDowell unto Thos. Chew, justice. For £ 800. 24 March 1742. Magdalene McDowell is admx. of John McDowel, Gent.

Magdalene (M) McDowell
Richard Wood
James McDowell

Wit: James Porteus.
24 March 1742. Acknowledged. [1743]

Page 256. John Chissum. Inventory. Total valuation £ 14.19.1.

Saml. Fargeson
Francis Brown
Nicholas Copeland

24 March 1742. Returned by Rebecca Chissum, widow and relict of John Chissum. [1743]

Page 257. Arthur Blackburn. Inventory. Total valuation £ 51.-.3.

Jo. Hite note charges Captn. Hite
Robt. Allen charges Robt. Allen
Robt. Warth charges Robt. Warth
Signed by Esther Blackburn, admx.
24 March 1742. Returned by Esther Blackburn, widow and relict of Arthur Blackburn. [1743]

Page 258. Bond of Barnett McHenry and Daniel Murly to Thomas Chew, justice. For £ 100. 24 March 1742. Barnett McHenry is to deliver unto Saml. Baker orphan of James Baker, dec., all such estate as is due said orphan as soon as he shall attain to lawful age.

Barn McHenry
Danl. (X) Murly

Wit: Jonath. Gibson.
24 March 1742. Barnet McHenry and Daniel Murly acknowledge McHenry's bond as guardian of Saml. Baker. [1743]

Pages 259-62. John Rucker. Inventory. Made pursuant to order of 29 Jan. 1742. Total valuation £ 285.17.10½ including

four Negroes valued at £ 82.10.0.

Thos. Chew
James Barbour
Zach. Taylor

24 March 1742 [1743]. Returned by Peter Rucker, exor.

Pages 262-63. James Thurston. Inventory. Made pursuant to order of 25 Feb. 1742. Appraisers sworn before George Taylor, Gent. Total valuation £ 12.9.1.

Anthony Garnet
Christopher Pettey
Martin Duell

Isaac Smith, admr.
24 March 1742. Presented into Court by Isaac Smith, admr.

Pages 263-64. Bond of George Holt, Henry Downes, Gent., and Michl. Holt of the County of Orange unto Thomas Chew. For £ 200. 30 March 1743. George Holt and Mary Magdalene his wife are guardians of Philip Staver and Eliza. Staver orphans of John Gauber Staever.

Geo. (X) Holt
Hen. Downs
Michl. Holt

25 March 1743. Acknowledged.

Pages 264-65. Bond of Anthony Strother, James Pendleton and John Picket unto Thomas Chew, justice. For £ 150. 26 March 1743. Antho. Strother is admr. of John Corley (Corely).

Antho. Strother
James Pendleton
John Pickett

Wit: Jno. Edwards.
25 March 1743. Acknowledged.

Pages 266-67. [Will of John Cannady] being sick in body, dated 1 April 1743.

My exrs. Jeremiah Sutton, William Burk.

Imprimis: I give and bequeath here set down the first legacy, Item I give and bequeath her incert the next and soon and I hereby make and appoint my loving friend William Bluet son to John Bluet living in Chester County Talyar full and sole Ear according to the will of my exr.

Wit:
John Wood
David Prounder
James Carton

John (X) Kanady

26 May 1743. Presented in Court by Jeremiah Sutton and Wm. Burk executors. Proved by David Provender.
24 June 1743. Further proved by John Wood.

Pages 267-68. Bond of William Burk, Jerh. Sutton, Robt. Green and John Neil unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 100. 27 May 1743. Wm. Burk and Jeremiah Sutton are exors. of John Cannady.

William Burk
Jerh. Sutton

Robt. Green
John Neile

26 May 1743. Acknowledged.

Pages 268-69. James Thurston. Sale of estate. Isaac Smith, administrator.

Anthony Garnett	Dr to a parcell of tobo.	£	17.	6
Fushee	Dr to 1 gun		10.	-
John Nnight	Dr to 1 gun barrell		2.	6
Josheway Step	Dr to 1 grind stone at		2.	8
James Barnett	dr to 1 sett wedges at		4.	3
Martin Dewit	Dr to 1 bed cord at		2.	0
Isaac Smith	Dr to old iron at		3.	6
Isaac Smith	Dr to twols at		15.	6
Blewford	Dr to 1 hide at		3.	3
Thoms. Night	Dr to 1 pott at		5.	8
Sarah Thurston	Dr to 1 pott at		2.	7
John Disker	Dr to 1 pott at		1.	4
Anthony Garnet	Dr to a pail and piggon		4.	6
Richd. Pinion	Dr to 3 old knives at		3.	-
Hudson	Dr to old lumber at		4.	6
John Petty	Dr to pewter at		7.	-
Sarah Thurston	Dr to 1 box iron at		4.	1
James Pettey	Dr to 1 chest at		4.	6
William Pettey	Dr to 1 tubb at		3.	6
Martin Duett	Dr to 1 how and 1 hogg at		4.	10
Isaac Smith	Dr to a mare and saddle and bridle	1.	3.	-
Isaac Smith	Dr to bed covering at		4.	-
Christopher Petty	Dr to 1 cow at	1.	15.	-
Wm. Clarke	Dr to 1 stear and 2 yeare Do at	1.	7.	8
Thomas Foster	Dr to 1 cow at	1.	16.	-
Hudson	Dr to a pan at		3.	9
Thomas Foster	Dr to 2 hoggs at		13.	2
Anthony Garnet	Dr to 1 colt at		17.	6

And there is a judgment against James McDaniel for 15.9 tobo. 7 lb.

26 May 1743. Presented by Isaac Smith and admitted to record.

Pages 269-72. John McDowel, Gent. Inventory. Made pursuant to order of 20 April 1743. Total valuation £ 216.4.3½ including two Negroes valued at £ 40 and one white apprentice boy.

John Mathews
Joseph Lagesly [?]
Jno. Christian

Signed by Magdalene McDowel, administratrix.

23 June 1743. Presented into Court by Magdalene McDowel, admx.

Pages 272-73. Bond of James Patton, Henry Downes, John Smith, Wm. Robinson and James Davis unto Thoms. Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 1000. 23 June 1743. James Patton and Henry Downes are administrators of John Hart.

James Patton
Hen. Downes

Jno. Smith
Wm. Robinson
James (S) Davis

23 June 1743. Acknowledged.

Pages 274-75. Bond of Robert Turner, John Catlet and Wm. Burk unto Thos. Chew, justice. For £ 20. 23 June 1743. Robert Turner is admr. of Thomas Dorham.

Robt. Turner
Jno. Catlett
Wm. Burk

Wit: Catlett Conway.
23 June 1743. Acknowledged.

Pages 275-76. Bond of James Allan and James Patton, Gents., unto Robert Slaughter, Gent., justice. For £ 100. 28 July 1743. James Allen in admr. of Wm. Allan, dec.

James Allan
James Patton

Wit: James Porteus.
28 July 1743. Acknowledged.

Pages 277-78. Bond of Ruben Rutherford, Ann his wife late Ann Hunt, Morgan Bryant, and Jacob [Worthington] unto Robt. Slaughter, Gent., justice. For £ 550. 28 July 1743. Ann, wife of Ruben Rutherford, is admx. of Henry Hunt.

Reuben Rutherford
Ann (X) Rutherford
Morgan Bryan
Jacob Worthington

Wit: Wm. Hughes.
28 July 1743. Acknowledged.

Pages 278-79. Bond of Michael Finney and James Patton, Gent., unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 20. 25 Aug. 1743. Michael Finney and James Patton, Gent., are executors of James Finney, dec.

Michl. Finney
James Patton

Wit: Catlett Conway.
25 Aug. 1743. Acknowledged.

Pages 280-81. Bond of Silus Hart, Robt. Poage, and Jno. Davisson unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 500. 25 Aug. 1743. Silus Hart is admr. of Jno. Hart.

Silus Hart
Robt. Poage
John Davison

Wit: Jonath. Gibson
25 Aug. 1743. Acknowledged.

Pages 281-82. Bond of Jacob Koger, Adam Miller and Wm. Carpenter unto Robt. Slaughter, Gent., justice. For £ 200. 25 Aug. 1743. Jacob Koger is exor. of Nicholas Koger, dec. [Indexed in will book as Coger.]

Jacob Koger
Adam Miller
William Carpenter

Wit: Marmaduke Standfield
25 Aug. 1743. Acknowledged.

Page 282. Thomas Durham. Inventory. Made pursuant to order of 23 June 1743. Total valuation £ 7.5.9.

Phillaman Cavenaugh
James Strother
Benja. Taylor

25 Aug. 1743. Returned by Robt. Turner, admr.

Pages 283-84. Jno. Corley. Inventory. 13 April 1743. Made pursuant to order of 26 March 1743. Total valuation £ 20.2.0.

John Wharton
Thos. Wharton
Bryan Syssen

28 April 1743. Returned by Anthony Strother, Gent., admr.

Pages 284-86. Will of John Nicholas Blankenbeeckler of the Parish of St. Mark in the County of Orange being sick and weak in body, dated 10 Aug. 1743.

Unto my beloved wife Appellonias Blankenbeekler one hundred acres of land with the plantation whereon I now do live and as I do possess two more tracts of lands the one tract containing four hundred acres, the other tract containing three hundred acres,

To my son Zacharias Blankenbeekler two hundred acres to be taken off from the above said tract of four hundred acres. Also one mare three years of age together with a saddle and bridle, as also one gun.

Unto my son Jacob Blankenbeekler my tract of one hundred and sixty five acres of land whereon I now do dwell to be possessed by him (after the decease of my above mentioned loving wife Appellonia). Also one mare three years of age with a saddle and bridle as also one gun.

Unto my son Zacharias Blankenbeekler sixteen shillings in money, Also unto my son Michael Blankenbeekler sixteen shillings in money, after the decease of my above said wife.

Unto my daughter Ursula (now married unto John Zimerman) fifteen pounds and five shillings in money after the death of my wife.

Unto my daughter Dorothea (wife of Laurence Gare) eleven pounds and eleven shillings in money after the death of my wife.

All my effects equally divided amongst all my above mentioned children, yet after the decease of my above said loveing wife Appellonia.

My dear friend Jacob Broil and my eldest son Zacharias Blankenbeekler executors.

Wit: John Nicholas (X) Blankenbeekler
Jacob (X) Broil
Peter (X) Fleshman
Laurence Gare

We the subscribers testify the two paragraphs that were crossed out on the other side of this present will was done by order and by the desire of the testator. 11 Aug. 1743.
Jacob (X) Broil
Peter (X) Fleshman
Laurence Gare

Codicil. John Nicholas Blankenbeekler. 11 Aug. 1743.

Unto my son Michael Blankenbeekler two hundred acres of land from my tract of four hundred acres. Also one mare three years of age with a saddle and bridle and one gun.

Unto my daughter Elizabeth Blankenbeeker my tract of three hundred acres of land. Also ten pounds current money to be delivered at the day of her marriage in household goods.

I as a loving father to all my children have taken great care to divide the whole of my estate equally. It is my desire that they behave themselves dutifully to my loveing wife Appellonia as their dear mother.

My dear friend Jacob Broil and my eldest son Zacharias Blankenbeekler executors.

Wit: John Nicholas (X) Blankenbeekler
Jacob (X) Broil
Peter (X) Fleshman
Laurence Gare

22 Sept. 1743. Presented by Jacob Broil and Zacharias Blankenbeekler. Proved by Peter Fleshman and Laurence Gare.

Pages 287-88. Bond of Zacharias Blankenbeekler, Jacob Broil, Peter Fleshman and Laurence Gare unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 500. 22 Sept. 1743. Zacharias Blankenbeekler and Jacob Broyle are executors of John Nicholas Blankenbeekler.

Zacharias Blankenbeekler
Jacob (X) Broyle
Peter (X) Fleshman
Laurence Gare

Wit: Wm. Hughes.
22 Sept. 1743. Acknowledged.

Pages 288-89. Bond of Timothy Crosthwait, George Taylor and Elijah Daniel unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 500. 22 Oct. 1743. Timothy Crosthwait is admr. of Wm. Crosthwait.

Timo. Crosthwait
Geo. Taylor
Elijah Daniel

Wit: Wm. Hughes.
22 Sept. 1743. Acknowledged.

Page 290. Will of Roger Mallory of the Parish of St. Thomas in the County of Orange being sick and weak of body, dated 6 Sept. 1743.

Unto Tavenor Beale the land that I bought of Nicholas Christopher, the said Tavenor Beale paying to my exors. forty five pounds current money.

My whole estate to my beloved wife Sarah Mallory during her natural life and then to be equally divided between my children.

My beloved wife executrix and my friend Tavenor Beal executor.

Wit: Roger (RM) Mallory
Saml. Pound
Thomas Bryan
Thos. Jones

23 Sept. 1743. Presented by Sarah Mallory and Tavenor Beal. Proved by Saml. Pound and Thomas Jones. Tavenor Beal refusing to take upon him the burthen of the execution.

Page 291. Roger Mallory. Inventory. 14 Oct. 1743. Made pursuant to order of 23 Sept. 1743. Appraisers sworn before Edward Spencer, Gent. Total valuation £ 74.2.8 including one Negro girl valued at £ 24.

Bryan Seisson
Francis Moor
Willm. (M) Morton

25 Nov. 1743. Returned by Sarah Mallory, executrix.

Pages 292-93. Nicholas Koger. Inventory. 30 Sept. 1743. Total valuation £ 103.13.11.

Richd. Mauldin
Wm. Burk
Mathew Flesher

Jobcob Kogar, admr.
25 Nov. 1743. Returned into Court.

Pages 294-96. John Hart. Inventory. Total valuation £ 34.11.6.

Patt Campbell
Moses Thomson
Robart Coningham

25 Nov. 1743. Returned by Silus Hart.

Page 296. Augustine Smith, Gent. Additional inventory. No valuation shown.
Signed by Robert Slaughter, admr.
26 Nov. 1743. Presented into Court by Robert Green [sic] Gent., admr.

Pages 297-98. Will of John Griffin of St. Thomas's Parish in the County of Orange in Virga. being very sick and weak in body, dated 2 Dec. 1743.

I impower my executors to sell all my lands lying near Terry's Run in the aforesaid county for the best price that can be had in money and the said money to be equally divided amongst my five youngest sons (to wit) John, Richard, James, Anthony and Joseph, each to receive his part when he arrives to the age of twenty one years.

Unto my loving wife Margaret Griffin all the rest of my estate during her natural life and at her decease to be equally divided amongst all my children (viz) David, William, Mary, Katherin, Sarah, John, Richard, James, Anthony, Margaret and Joseph.

My son-in-law William Jones and my loving wife executors.

John Griffin

Wit:
James Pendleton
Elizabeth (X) Chambers
Zannah (X) Jones
23 Feb. 1743 [1744]. Produced in Court by Margrat Griffin. Proved by James Pendleton, Gent., Eliza. Chambers, and Zannah Jones.

Pages 298-99. Bond of William Jones, Margrett Griffin, James Pendleton and Phillup Claton, Gent., unto Robert Slaughter, Gent., justice. For £ 150. 23 Feb. 1743 [1744]. Wm. Jones and Margret Griffin are executors of John Griffin.

William (X) Jones
Margt. (M) Griffin
James Pendleton
Philip Claton

Wit: Marr. Stanfield.
23 Feb. 1743 [1744]. Acknowledged.

Pages 299-300. Will of Peter Rucker of Saints Marks Parish in the County of Orange, planter, being weak in body, dated 18 Jan. 1742/3.

I lend unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Rucker all my estate both real and personal during her natural life and after her decease to be devied in the following manner.

Unto my beloved daughter Margrett Tinsley and my son in law Isack Tinsley a Negro boy named Yorkshier.

To my beloved son Ephraim Rucker a Negro girl named Fillis.

To my beloved daughter Ann Cook and my son in law Shem Cook an Negrow girl named Jeney.

All the remainder of my estate to be sold at publick uction to the highest bidder on six months credit. The money to be equally divided amongst my beloved children by name as followeth Thomas Rucker, Elizabeth Pearce, William Rucker, Mary Offell, James Rucker, Ephraim Rucker and Ann Cook.

My beloved sons James Rucker and Ephrim Rucker executors.

Peter (R) Rucker

Wit:
Wm. Jackson
Wm. Offill
Micl. Holt
23 Feb. 1743 [1744]. Presented in Court by James Rucker and Ephram Rucker who gave bond with Michl. Holt, George Holt and Richd. Mauldin Junr. securities. Proved by Wm. Jackson and Michl. Holt.

Pages 300-02. Bond of James Rucker, Ephrahim Rucker, Richard Mauldin Junr., George Holt and Michael Holt unto Robert Slaughter, Gent., justice. For £ 500. 23 Feb. 1743 [1744]. James Rucker and Ephrahim Rucker are exors. of Peter Rucker.

James Rucker
Ephraim (X) Rucker
Richd. Mauldin
George (X) Holt
Michael Holt

Wit: Marmad. Stanfield.
23 Feb. 1743. Acknowledged.

Page 302. James Finney. Inventory. 17 Sept. 1743. No total valuation shown [£ 7.15.0]

Joseph Lavesly
Peter Wallace

23 Feb. 1743. Returned by Michl. Finey. [1744]

Page 303. James Finney. Estate account. 20 Dec. 1742.

To cash payd Edward Boyl	£ 0. 7. 6
To cash payd to his brother in law	1.18. 0
To cash payd to widow McDowell	0. 6. 9
To cash payd John Wilson	0. 3. 6

23 Feb. 1743 [1744]. Returned by Michl. Finey.

Pages 303-05. Will of Joseph Bloodworth in the County of Agasta being very sick and weak in body, dated 3 Oct. 1743.

Unto my dearly beloved wife Mary Bloodworth all my personal estate to gether with my plantation that I now injoy on the said county in dureing her said life, which plantation consists of thirteen hundred acers. After my said wife's death the aforesaid plantation to Mary Margret Kennerly.

To my dearly beloved friends John Newport and Allexander Mquim [sic] all that persal of land purch'ed of John Leadom by istemtion two hundred and fifty acres being on Heasel River in Orange County to be equally divided. If they cannot agree, the land shall be sould a Cording to cousdam to the highest bidder and the money equally divided. My dearly beloved wife Mary Bloodworth, Thomas Kennarly, executors.

Wit: Joseph Bloodworth
William Shillirns
Thomas Leitch
Malcom Stuart
Richd. Yarbrough
Saml. Gay

23 Feb. 1743 [1744]. Produced in Court by Mary Bloodworth. Proved by Samll. Gay and Richd. Yarbrough.

Pages 306-07. Bond of Robert Eastham and Philip Clayton, Gent., unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 50. 24 Feb. 1743 [1744]. Robert Eastham is admr. of Timothy Deley.

R. Eastham
Phillip Clayton

24 Feb. 1743 [1744]. Acknowledged.

Pages 308-09. Henry Hurt. Inventory. 7 Sept. 1743. Total valuation £ 54.19.0.

Meridith Helin
Jacob Hite
Mathews

23 March 1743. Returned into Court.

Pages 309-10. John Nicklas Blankenpecker. Inventory. 26 Oct. 1743. Total valuation £ 39.6.0.

George Utz
Michael Cafor

John Towles
24 March 1743 [1744]. Returned into Court.

Pages 311-13. William Crosthwait. Inventory. 19 Oct. 1743. Total valuation £ 18.13.3.
Richard Thomas
John Barnett
Joseph Thomas
24 March 1743 [1744]. Returned into Court.

Pages 313-14. Will of William Rhodes of the parish of St. Thomas in the County of Orang, being sick and weak of body, dated 8 Dec. 1743.

To my beloved wife the old mair to dispose of as she thinks proper.

To my eldest son William one young bay horse for ever.

To my son John one bay mair colt.

To my son Christopher on grey horse colt.

To my said wife all my movable goods and estate during her widowhood and then to be equally divied between my wife and my son William and John and Christopher, Hezekiah and Benjamin.

My said wife and my son William executors.

Wit: William Rhodes
Wm. Bell
D. Bohannon
John Bohannon.

26 April 1744. Presented in Court by Hannah Rhodes and Wm. Rhodes executors, who gave bond with Timothy Crosthwait, and Wm. McDonagh their securities. Proved by Wm. Bell and Dunkin Bohannon.

Pages 314-15. Bond of Hannah Rhodes, Wm. Rhodes, Timothy Crosthwait and Wm. McDonagh unto Thos. Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 100. 26 April 1744. Hannah Rhodes and William Rhodes are executors of William Rhodes.
Hannah (X) Rhodes
Wm. (X) Rhodes
Tim Crosthwait
Wm. McDonaugh
Wit: Wm. Hughes
26 April 1744. Acknowledged.

Pages 315-16. Joseph Bloodworth. Inventory. 7 March 1743/4. Total valuation £ 101.9.2 3/4 including Negro valued at £ 30.
Saml. Gay
John Finly
Saml. Steell
26 April 1744. Returned by Mary Bloodworth, widow and relict.

Pages 316-17. Bond of Wm. Kelly and Edward Ballinger unto Thoms. Chew, justice. For £ 20. 27 April 1744. Wm. Kelly is admr. of John Axford.
Wm. Kely
Edward (E) Balinger

Wit: Wm. Hughes.
26 April 1744. Acknowledged.

Pages 317-18. Will of Ann Naylor of Orange County, being sick and weak of body, dated 2 March 1743/4.

To the daughter of my daughter Martha, Ann Moore Branaw ten pounds to be paid two years after my decease in case her father will put the same out to use other ways stey in the hands of my executors still she is of age.*

To my three gran daughters Ann, Lavey, Elizth. daughter of Thomas Pattey Jr. four pounds a piece wheen of age.

To Ann Moore one cow and calf.

To Mary Moore one cow and calf.

To my son Harbin More all the rest of my estate, whom I also appoint executor.

Wit: Ann (X) Naylor
Solloman Ryan
John Ransdell
Elizh. (X) Mash

26 April 1744. Produced in Court by Harben Moore exr. who gave bond with Francis Moor his security. Proved by John Randell and Elizt. Mash.

Page 319. Bond of Harbin Moor and Francis Moor unto Thomas Chew, justice. For £ 500. 27 April 1744. Harbin Moor is exor. of Ann Naylor.

Harbin Moor
Frans. Moor

Wit: Wm. Hughes.
26 April 1744. Acknowledged.

Page 320. Higgons Axford. Inventory. Made pursuant to order of 22 March 1743 [1744]. Total valuation £ 8.4.0.

James Connor
James Strother
Charles Morgan

26 April 1744. Returned into Court.

Pages 321-22. Bond of Jane McDaniel and Henry Downs, Gent., unto Thomas Chew, Gent., justice. For £ 250. 24 May 1744. Jane McDaniel is admx. of Randolph McDaniel.

Jane (X) McDaniel
Henry Downs

Wit: James Porteus.
24 April 1744. Acknowledged.

Pages 322-24. Bond of George Brackenridge, Henry Downs and Samuel Guy. For £ 500. 24 May 1744. George Brackinridge is admr. of Alexander Brackenridge.

George Breakeni [sic]
Henry Downs
Saml. Guy

Wit: Catlett Conway.
24 May 1744. Acknowledged.

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* The comma in the first line of this paragraph is omitted in the recorded copy but is clear in the original.

Pages 324-25. Wm. Rhodes. Inventory. Total valuation £ 53.13.11, including Negro girl valued at £ 25.

Wm. Bell
John Barnett
Edward Tindsley

24 May 1744. Returned into Court.

Pages 325-26. Bond of George Brackenridge unto Jane Brackenridge. For £ 500. 24 May 1744.

Whereas Alexr. Brackenridge dec. (father of the above bound George Brackenridge) on his death bed declared that he intended to give to his sons Adam Smith and James Brackenrige each a pice of land to wit to Adam Brackenrige four hundred acres, to Smith three hundred acres and to James one hundred and twelve acres, then died without a will in writing and whereas the above bound George Brackenridge heir at law of the said deceased (to whom administration is granted on the relinquishment of the said Jane Brackenridge widow of the deceased and mother of the above bound George) is willing to comply with the declaration made by his said father, now he binds himself to Jane Brackenridge in behalf of her said sons Adam, Smith and James Brackenridge who are under age.

George Brackenridge

Wit: Philip Clayton, James Porteus.
24 May 1744. Acknowledged.

Pages 326-27. George Teater. Inventory. 23 May 1744. Total valuation £ 32.10.0.

Michl. Cook
Michl. Cafer
Michl. Smith

24 May 1744. Returned into Court.

Pages 327-29. Ann Naylor. Inventory. Total valuation £ 67.18.3 including two Negroes valued at £ 40.

Thos. Sims
Benja. Hawkins
John (J) Ingram

24 May 1744. Returned into Court.

Pages 330-31. John Cannady. Inventory. 18 Nov. 1744. No total valuation given.

Joseph Whit
Thomas (T) Duncan
John (X) Ashly
Wm. Duncan

24 May 1744. Returned into Court.

Page 331. John Axford. Inventory. Made pursuant to order of 26 April 1744. Total valuation £ 5.4.6.

James Connor
John Butler
Nickles (X) Gunnell
Alexr. Mackmillan

25 May 1744. Returned into Court.

Page 332. John Hobson. Estate account. David Kinkade, administrator.

To time and expences for self and horse in my application to Colo. Fras. Thornton about a mortgage made to him	£ 1. 0. 0
To 8 days myself and horse in going and coming from Maryland, ferriages, expences &c to get in the aforesaid mortgage	2.10. 0
By a sale on Dec. the 7th 1743 for four Negros as per Mr. Newport's account	101.10. 6
By cash of James Leathe	0.10. 0

Settled by Philip Clayton and Jas. Pendleton

Pages 334-37. John Hobson. Estate account. [Earliest entry 27 July 1737]

To ballance of account found due by the arbitration of John Foster and Robt. Turner	£ 5. 0. 0
To paid Mr. Francis Thornton	2. 4.2½
To Christor. Zimmerman	0. 5. 0
To paid Wm. Morfey	0. 2. 3
To carting your houshold goods from Spotsylvania to the mountains	1.10. 0
To directing you on Nansa my church and 8 days work at the same time	2. 0. 0
By cash of Lewis Yancey	6.19. 0

Errors excepted by David Kinkead.

An account of the sale of Mr. John Hobson's estate by John Newport in behalf of Mr. David Kinkead, admr. 7 Dec. 1743.

[No entry of recording.]

Pages 337-39. Bond of Wm. Hobbs, Edward Ballenger and Alexander McMillion unto Thomas Chew, justice. For £ 50. 22 March 1743 [1744]. Wm. Hobbs is admr. of Higgins Axford.

Wm. Hobbs
Edwd. Ballenger (E)
Alexr. Mackmillan

22 March 1743 [1744]. Acknowledged.

Pages 339-41. Bond of Margret Teater, Michael Cloure and George Uts unto Robert Slaughter, Gent., justice. For £ 300. 22 March 1743 [1744]. Margret Teater is admx. of Georg Teater.

Margret Teater
George Uts
Michael (X) Clore

Wit: James Porteus.

22 March 1743. Acknowledged.

Pages 341-43. John Griffin. Inventory. Total valuation £ 87.0.8, including one Negro man valued at £ 30.

David Cave
Geo. Smith
Stephen Smith

22 March 1743. Returned into Court.

Pages 343-45. Peter Rucker. Inventory. Total valuation £ 242.6.2, including seven Negroes valued at £ 160.

Benja. Cave
James Barbour
Henry Downs

Signed by James Rucker.
[No entry of recording.]

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